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## IN FAVOR OF CHURCH UNION

### General Assembly Votes That Way After Somewhat Warm Debate

#### COMMITTEE REPORT HAS LARGE MAJORITY

Reports on Various Subjects Are Considered and Adopted

Hamilton, June 8.—The Presbyterian General Assembly concluded its deliberation on church union this morning and adopted Principal Patrick's motion. The vote indicated a largely preponderating opinion in favor of the principle of union in the ranks of the clergy and elders in the church. The afternoon was devoted to the consideration of the augmentation and church life and work committees' reports, and the evening to the reports of the Sunday school and French evangelization committees.

#### Debate on Union

This morning the assembly at once got down to a continuance of its deliberation on church union. The debate on church union.

Rev. Dr. Taylor, New Westminster, said they were not the united people they were supposed to be. He challenged the extraordinary doctrinal basis placed before him by the supporters of union, and he styled the report of the joint committee a thing of shreds and patches.

Rev. Dr. Pringle, Sydney, said that as a start, he was out and out an unionist. Those supporting it were not going to be scared by the little tattle from the street or the street car. He would not be ashamed to belong to a united church which had its roots in Knox, Hampden, Cromwell and John Wesley.

J. Lawson, of Charlottetown, said if the Methodists want union let them join a church equal to themselves.

Edward Brown, Portage-la-Prairie, thought if union was submitted to the people it would be voted down by an overwhelming majority, as they were not ripe for it. At the same time he could conscientiously vote for Principal Patrick's motion, and still reserve his right to vote against union or for it as he deemed fit, when it went to the people.

Rev. Dr. N. Morden, of St. Mary's, said it was no disparagement to the prophetic vision of the members of the joint committee to say that a large number of people were in a position where they could vote for union. He said if they voted it down it would be a generation before it could be brought up again.

Rev. P. A. Walker, Maisonneuve, said Principal McKay's amendment was a red herring drawn across the track.

Rev. Dr. Sedgwick, Tatamagouche, said Principal McKay's amendment must have commended itself to many right thinking men. He thought Principal Patrick's ability to beautify and decorate would have equipped him to become a window dresser in a store. Dr. Sedgwick remarked that the joint committee's report was a hopeless mixup, and reminded him of Alice in Wonderland.

#### Best For Christianity

Principal Patrick said he hoped they gave one another credit for solid honesty of purpose. They had abandoned now the belief that God had established only the Presbyterian policy, though they believed in the reformation. They were constrained by conscience to unite with those that believed the same as they did. It seemed that it could be utter folly after the committee had negotiated with the Methodists and Congregationalists for organic union for the rest of the assembly to turn round and ask them for federation, something they knew the Methodists and Congregationalists did not want. He was a loyal Presbyterian, but he was desirous of doing what was best for the interests of Christianity in Canada.

The vote was then taken. The amendment of Principal McKay was defeated, 154 voting against and 54 for it. The original motion was next put and carried, only those who had spoken against it during the debate voting against it.

At the afternoon session Rev. A. E. Mitchell, Hamilton, presented the report of the committee on church life and work. The report, with a number of recommendations bearing on it, was adopted.

The moderator, Rev. Dr. Lyle, presented the report of the augmentation committee of the western section. The receipts were \$38,630.81 and expenditures \$48,362.81. During the year 27 congregations became self-supporting. Rev. Dr. Smith presented the report of the eastern section. The income from all sources was \$13,122.89 and the expenditures \$10,000. Both reports were adopted.

Rev. Dr. Mowat at the evening session presented the report of the board on French evangelisation, and Rev. A. C. McGillivray of Toronto that of the Sunday school committee.

#### Fisheries Regulations

Ottawa, June 8.—Prof. Prince, commissioner of fisheries for the Dominion, has returned from Washington, where he and Professor David Starr Jordan, United States representative of the international fisheries commission, completed the draft of regulations which will govern fishing in waters contiguous to the international boundary for four years. During the summer Prof. Prince and Prof. Starr Jordan will make a tour of the Great Lakes. Prof. Prince is confident that under the new regulations Canadian interests will be safeguarded.

## ALBERTA CONFERENCE

Favorable Report From College at Strathcona Question of Western Paper Discussed.

Strathcona, Alb., June 8.—That Alberta made the provincial university possible was one of the statements made yesterday by Dr. Riddell in his report to the Methodist conference. He showed that the college had so weakened an interest in and created a demand for higher education, that the government had to either give university powers to Alberta college or found a university itself. The college is now affiliated with Alberta university.

A most successful year in every department was shown, and the announcement was made of a faculty of theology, which is being added this year. The conference loyally pledged its support and congratulations.

A Methodist paper for the west was the suggestion hailing from Winnipeg, and the conference committee report was accepted, stating that Alberta thinks the time is not yet. The Christian Guardian and its editor, Dr. Creighton, received votes of confidence, but strong opinions were expressed in favor of the request of this conference made last year that a western editor should be appointed.

#### Winnipeg Buildings

Winnipeg, June 8.—The number of building permits issued in Winnipeg for this year reached the one thousand mark today.

#### Sale of New York Bonds

New York, June 8.—Bids aggregating \$68,500,000 for a \$40,000,000 issue of 4 per cent corporate stock and bonds were opened today. The bonds will be awarded at an average price of about 100 1/2.

#### Drowned in Barrel of Water

Winnipeg, June 8.—Mrs. Anderson, wife of a farmer living ten miles southeast of here, committed suicide early this morning by jumping head first into a barrel of water. She had been in ill-health for some time past.

## DECEIVED COURT TO GET DIVORCE

### Allegation Made in Annulment Proceedings by Mrs. Guggenheim

Chicago, June 8.—Judge Honor today ordered Wm. Guggenheim, of New York, and Grace B. Guggenheim to show cause why the divorce procedure in Chicago in 1901 should not be set aside.

Edward F. Dunne, formerly mayor of Chicago, who asked the divorce decree while a judge in the circuit court, today represented the complainant, Grace B. Guggenheim, and appeared in court with five affidavits alleging that the divorce was obtained by fraud.

Mr. Dunne declared that the decree was fraudulent, as neither party was a legal resident in Illinois at the time it was granted, and misrepresentations had been made to get the divorce.

The complainant also avers that Mr. Guggenheim and his wife's supposed attorney, Louis Werner, of New York, conspired to practise a fraud on the court. She further states that alimony of \$150,000 was given her and that her attorney got \$12,500 of it.

Mrs. Guggenheim avers that it had been represented to her that the defendant was the "weakest and least important member of the Guggenheim family, while in fact he is the ablest of the seven brothers, and the chief organizer and business head of the great combination of mining and smelting interests owned by the family." She adds that his personal wealth is probably more than \$3,500,000. The complainant has been married three times, and was figured in an equal number of divorces.

Mr. Guggenheim married Lillian Steinberger. In her affidavit the complainant tells how she met Mr. Guggenheim in June, 1900. He followed her about until she finally consented to marry him, she says. They were married quietly at Hoboken. She was forced to keep their marriage a secret, as Guggenheim's family were orthodox Jews and she was a Christian. On December 31st, 1900, Guggenheim told her he had decided to leave her, as his family were still opposed to his marriage.

Guggenheim went to Europe. After many efforts to get him to return to her she finally consented to sue for divorce on the advice of Daniel Guggenheim, one of the defendant's attorneys. After the divorce was obtained in Chicago she returned to New York, and soon afterwards was married to Jules R. Wahl. When he later obtained an annulment of their marriage she believed herself free to marry again. On consulting her present attorney she was advised that the Chicago divorce was void, and that she was still the legal wife of Guggenheim. Other affidavits were filed corroborating the complainant's statements.

#### Earthquake Recorded

Washington, June 8.—An earthquake, officially estimated as 2,000 miles distance, possibly in either the vicinity of northern Chili or the Aleutian Islands, was recorded at the weather bureau early today. The shock was well defined and of moderate intensity and lasted for over an hour.

#### Bucketshop Men Sentenced

Cincinnati, June 8.—Louis W. Foster, John M. Gorman, Walter Campbell, A. C. Baldwin, Edwin Hill and J. M. Scott were each sentenced to a term of six months in jail and each to pay a fine of \$200 and costs by Judge Thompson in the United States District court here this morning for using the United States mails for schemes of defraud in conducting a bucketshop.

## NOT TO VETO TARIFF BILL

### President Tells Republican Leaders That Report Is Unfounded

#### CONSULTATIONS HELD AT WHITE HOUSE

##### Men in Charge of Measure Confident That It Will Become Law

Washington, June 8.—Senate and House leaders who are directing the course of the tariff bill through congress, and who will be members of the conference on the bill after it has passed the senate, took measures today to ascertain whether there was any foundation for the report that President Taft would veto the bill. They have reached the conclusion that there is no basis whatever for such report.

Speaker Cannon, Senator Aldrich and Representative Payne individually have been at the White House several times in the past few days, and they say that if President Taft is dissatisfied with the course the bill is taking through congress he has concealed his concern very successfully. As late as this evening the president told one of the Republican leaders that no one had authority to suggest that he had in mind the veto of the tariff measure.

Mr. Aldrich was at the White House today, and was in conference with the president for some time. When he returned to the capitol he told his colleagues that the president did not appear to be at all perturbed about the tariff situation, and that he had expressed confidence in the members of the finance committee.

Capital has been made of the fact that President Taft has been consulting frequently about amendments being made to the tariff bill. Senator Aldrich explained today that whenever a tariff bill is under consideration it is usual for the head of the administration and all the members of his official family to weigh the bill in every particular, and especially with regard to its possible effect upon the party responsible for it.

President Taft will be expected by Mr. Aldrich and by Mr. Payne, chairman of the House committee of ways and means, to give his personal attention at every stage of its progress. As a matter of fact, the president is regarded almost as a member of the conference. It is not unlikely that the Republican conferees representing the House and Senate will meet from time to time at the White House and go over the proposed law with Mr. Taft.

## STEAMERS TAKE WATER BALLAST

### Montreal Rate on Grain Too Low to Give Chance of Profits

Montreal, June 8.—Unusual conditions are now prevailing in the grain export business. Steamers sailing from Montreal are refusing to carry grain at the rates offering, and are going out with water ballast.

This is due to the fact that the passenger boats sailing from New York are getting the grain at the cost of placing it on board and discharging it. The railways have also reduced the charge for hauling between Buffalo and New York by a cent, and the new rate plus the handling charge by New York steamers, makes the rate Montreal would have to meet so low that steamship men have come to the conclusion that water ballast is a cheaper freight to carry.

The situation is not expected to last very long, and as a matter of fact there is very little grain now offering for export, most of the movement being back to the west, where it is required for local consumption.

#### GIVEN TO M'GILL

Sir William Macdonald Adds Another to His Long List of Benefactions to University

Montreal, June 8.—The property adjoining McGill university sold for the erection of a palatial hotel was bought for the university today by Sir William Macdonald for a quarter of a million dollars. Hon. Lionel Guest, of the hotel syndicate, says they relinquished the property at cost price because of sympathy for Sir William Macdonald's great benefactions to McGill.

#### Inherits Much Wealth

Paris, June 8.—Madame Boursin, the residuary legatee under the will of A. Chauchard, who died in this city last week, receives property valued at from \$6,000,000 to \$8,000,000. She announced today the gift of \$200,000 to the poor of Paris and \$200,000 to establish a pension fund for employees of M. Chauchard's store.

#### Outing Magazine Sold

Binghamton, N. Y., June 8.—On approval of United States Judge Geo. W. Ray, the receivers of the bankrupt Outing Publishing Company, of New York, today sold the Outing Magazine to Thomas H. Blodgett, the Chicago advertising agent of the magazine, for \$30,000. Mr. Blodgett will continue the publication of the magazine.

## KETTLE RIVER LUMBER

Total Cut From Both Forks of Stream Expected to Reach Ten Million Feet

Grand Forks, June 8.—The Yale-Columbia Lumber Company's drive of logs is now near this city, the end of the drive at the present time being at Danville, Wash. Considerable timber has been cut during the past season from both forks of the Kettle river, the present drive of the Yale-Columbia company containing some seven million of feet, which is being floated down the river to the company's mill at Cascade, some twelve miles east of here, while the Danville Lumber company cut over the season will total nearly three million feet.

Both of these companies have made their cut this season on the west fork of the river, while on the north fork, Robinson & Lequime have cut and now have in Smelter Lake, above the Granby smelter, at their mill there, over five million feet of timber. This latter company has a five-year contract with the Canadian Pacific railway for all the tie timber they can take out, and which this season, so far will amount to about seventy-five thousand ties, although the company will, at the end of the month, put another crew in the bush for the purpose of cutting more ties during the summer months.

#### Honor For Col. Gorgas

Atlantic City, N. J., June 8.—Great applause today greeted William Gorgas, president-elect of the American Medical society, and sanitary officer at Panama, when he rose to address the hundreds of delegates in attendance at the opening of the 60th annual convention of that organization. In recognition of the efforts of Col. Gorgas toward sanitation in the Panama canal zone, men and women cheered when he was introduced. Colonel Gorgas in his address described at length the work of sanitation in the canal zone. Various reports were then read and the foreign delegates were introduced, after which the members attended meetings of the 12 sections, at which scientific papers were read.

## THIRTY MILLION SUIT SETTLED

### Pennsylvania Sugar Company's Dispute With Sugar Trust

New York, June 8.—After two weeks of trial in the United States court, the \$30,000,000 suit of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company against the American Sugar Refining Co., the so-called trust, was settled out of court here this evening. The terms of the settlement were not made public, and counsel for both plaintiff and defendant declined to discuss the agreement more than to say that an understanding had been reached, and that a statement would probably be forthcoming tomorrow.

The suit was one of those familiar, yet complicated, legal moves instituted every now and then by a smaller concern against a monopoly charging in effect that it has been driven out of business. In this case witnesses testified that Adolphe Siegel of Philadelphia, controlling power of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company borrowed from Gustav Kissell, a million and a quarter dollars, for which he gave as security 26,000 shares of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company, together with a voting trust certificate for the same, which was to run until the repayment of the loan.

With the power thus conferred upon him, Kissell installed himself and three of his clerks as directors of the independent sugar company, and, with control of the board of directors, he passed a remarkable resolution, which declared that the almost completed refinery said to be one of the most economical ever built, should not be opened nor operated until further orders of the board.

The details will not be made known until after the ratification by the Pennsylvania court that appointed George H. Earle, Jr., receiver of the Pennsylvania Refining Company. If such ratification is not made the case will have to be retried. Mr. Earle, the receiver, took part in the conference here this afternoon, and it was evident that the main details of the settlement had been agreed upon previously.

#### Georgia Railway Strike

Atlanta, Ga., June 8.—The strike of the Georgia firemen for seniority of whites over negroes passed formally into the arbitration stage today, when the firemen announced congressman Thomas H. Hardwick of Georgia as their arbitrator under the Erdman act. They announce that the Georgia railway yesterday refused offers of compromise on the negro question.

#### Their Jobs in Sing Sing

Ossining, N. Y., June 8.—Captain Peter C. Hains Jr., who is serving a sentence of not less than seven nor more than 20 years for killing William E. Annis, has been assigned as accountant in the tin shops of Sing Sing prison. Albert Patrick, serving a life sentence for the murder of William Marsh Rice, has been transferred to the clothing industry. As a measure of relief for overcrowded conditions in the prison, 60 convicts were today transferred to Auburn, New York.

#### Wireless and Prince Rupert

Vancouver, June 8.—The wireless telegraphic apparatus for establishing communication between Prince Rupert, Port Essington and Vancouver, is now on the way to the coast, and J. T. Phelan, superintendent of government telegraphs, and D. Minard, electrical engineer in the Public Works department at Ottawa, left on the Rupert City last night to select suitable sites for the stations at the two northern ports. The cost of the installations will be \$8,000, and it is intended to show that the cost of wireless communication with the north is cheaper than the present system.

## G. T. PACIFIC UP IN ARMS

### Rumors of Coming Row Over Enormous Cost of Transcontinental Road

#### COMPANY REGARDS BURDEN TOO HEAVY

##### Cost of First Section East From Winnipeg Put at \$125,000 Per Mile

Winnipeg, June 8.—The following appears in the Tribune tonight: "The street is alive with rumors regarding the Transcontinental railway, and it looks as if there was about as big a row on hand as the most fastidious could desire. Railway men and others who have received a hint as to what is doing, are greatly excited over the prospects of trouble."

"The time has come when the Grand Trunk Pacific is expected to take over that portion of the Transcontinental line running from Winnipeg Junction to the city of Winnipeg. Winnipeg Junction, as is no doubt generally known, is the point north of Port Arthur where the branch line from Port Arthur connects with the Transcontinental road, which runs from Moncton to the city of Winnipeg. This portion of the Transcontinental has been built by the government railway commission. The balance of the road from the junction down to Moncton is also to be built by this railway commission."

"Under the terms of the contract the Grand Trunk Pacific people are supposed to take over the road at whatever it has cost the commission to build, and the rental which the Grand Trunk Pacific is to pay on the road is to be based on the cost thereof. As the time draws near for taking over that portion from Winnipeg Junction to Winnipeg, the G. T. P. people are naturally interested in the figures as to the cost thereof."

"Popular rumor has it that when the Grand Trunk Pacific people found what the actual figures were, they were astounded, and are preparing to raise the biggest kind of a row with the government. It is whispered that the cost has been at least three times what the Grand Trunk Pacific people expected. If this is correct, it will go far to bear out the popular suspicion, to which voice was given by an engineer who recently made exposures which were ventilated in parliament."

"It is understood that Collingwood Schreiber, deputy minister of railways, accompanied by Mr. Lumsden, the general engineer of the Transcontinental railway, and also by Mr. Kellner, the company's general engineer, recently travelled over the line from Winnipeg Junction clear to the city of Winnipeg with the object of discovering what the cost of the road should be."

"It is reported that the road, constructed as it has been by the railway commissioners, Major General Reid and Parent, has cost in the vicinity of \$125,000 a mile. Mr. Young has been here for some time and it is understood that some interesting meetings have been held between the engineers and parties interested."

"Interesting developments are expected."

## SOUTHERN PACIFIC STOCK

### Directors Decide on Retirement of Preferred, to Be Effective on July 15

New York, June 8.—The retirement of the company's preferred stock was decided upon by the directors of the Southern Pacific company, to be effective on July 15. The holders of the stock will have the option of accepting \$115 per share in cash, or \$25 in cash and \$90 per share in 4 1/2 per cent bonds, or to exchange the preferred stock for the common stock, share for share.

The amount of outstanding preferred stock is \$74,965,463, and its dividend rate is 7 per cent, non-cumulative. Under the terms of its issue, it is redeemable by the company at 115 up to July 1, 1910. The dividend on the common stock is at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

The decision of the directors had been expected for some time in Wall street, and had been reflected in the recent activity and strength of both the preferred and common shares. The preferred closed at 115 1/4 and the common at 133 1/2.

#### NANAIMO'S SHOW

##### Agricultural Society of Coal City Now Ready to Make More Ambitious Effort

Nanaimo, June 8.—The agricultural society, recently reorganized here, met last night to make arrangements for the show which will be held under the auspices of the society this fall. Years ago these annual fall shows used to be a feature in the district, and it is the intention hereafter to carry them on in a more pretentious manner. This should be easy of accomplishment in view of the increased population of the district and the many farmers that have established themselves round about. During the last three years, more particularly, a great many people have arrived in the district to engage in agriculture, and an agricultural exhibition such as the society has in view would do much to advertise the resources of the district and to stimulate those who are engaged in farming.

With the mines working steadily, as they have been of late, there is a buoyant spirit abroad in the city, especially as the miners have been employed none too steadily during the winter and spring months.



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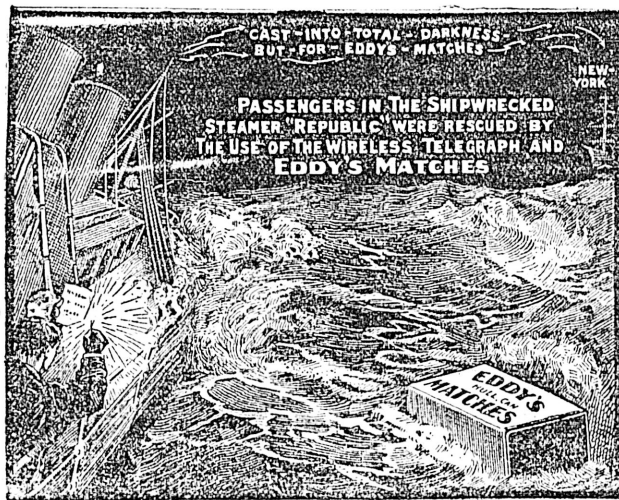
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## CHARMING PLAY WELL PRODUCED

Gardiner Company Pleases  
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The Edmund Gardiner Company achieved another artistic success last night in the first performance of "Sweet Lavender." Arthur Wing Pinero's charming play. Perfectly staged, and splendidly performed, it was a production such as one seldom sees from a stock company. The house was not very large, not nearly as large as it ought to have been, but the enthusiastic reception accorded the play by the audience augurs well for the future attendance. Everyone was delighted, which is the best kind of advertisement.

Mr. Gardiner made his first appearance as an actor on a Victoria stage, and was greeted with an ovation. He played Horace Bream, a clever comedy part, in which he showed to great advantage. Mr. Gardiner can act as well as direct. Bennett Southard made another big hit as Dick Phenyl, possibly the leading part in the play. It is a great tribute to Mr. Southard's versatility that he can score such marked successes in succeeding weeks in such different parts as the low comedy role of Marcus Brutus Sharp and the strong character part of Phenyl.

Orrin Knox does well as Clement Hale, the much enamoured student-at-law. Some of his scenes with Lavender are very pretty, and he has certainly learnt the art of graceful love making. As Geoffrey Wedderburn, the banker and guardian of Clement Hale, Reginald Holmes does some exceedingly good work. Mr. Holmes has been getting better parts the last few weeks, and his ability as an actor is making itself felt. Charles Vernon, as Bulger the hair dresser, also deserves a word of praise. He does some very clever comedy work, and his dialect is perfect. Charles Vernon was very amusing in the short part of Dr. Delaney.

The ladies of the company were all above criticism last night. Miss Gilbert was a striking success in the title role. She has unquestionably great talent in emotional roles, and more than once she brought tears to the eyes of the audience. Her scene with Dick Phenyl, when she learns that her mother is going to take her away from her lover, sent a thrill through everyone. Her Lavender is a sympathetic and artistic piece of work.

Miss van Buren made a very charming Mimie Gilligan, the young lady who releases Clement Hale only to fall in love with the irrepressible Bream. Miss van Buren has been far from well for the past week. In fact it was at one time feared that she would be unable to play, so her performance last night was the more creditable. Miss Brook, as ever, was excellent as Mrs. Gilligan. A clever and thoroughly trained actress, she has more than made good every time she has played here. With a splendid voice and perfect elocution there is both humor and length in her acting, and she would be a valuable addition to any company. Miss Girard is well suited with the part of Ruth Holt. It is a beautiful part, which she plays most sympathetically, and altogether the play is one which is well worth seeing.

The story of the play is too well known to require detailed description, and suffice it to say to those who have not seen it that it abounds both in amusing and pathetic incidents. A universal favorite, Mr. Gardiner is to be congratulated on having so successfully revived it.

A suggestion was made in the lobby last night which is commended to the attention of Mr. Gardiner. This is that the audience be given an opportunity to express preferences as to the plays which they would like to see in the future. Voting coupons might be enclosed in the programmes, and it would add a good deal to the public interest.

## CONDITIONS IN LUMBER TRADE

Healthy Improvement in North-west—Will Be Surplus of Logs

That the north-west lumber trade is showing a very healthy improvement is the opinion of E. J. Palmer, manager of the Chemainus lumber mill. "We in British Columbia," says Mr. Palmer, "are enjoying a very much better trade than the mills in Washington or Oregon, where the retailers are holding out waiting for developments in the tariff revision question."

The foreign trade is very weak. A number of the export mills on the other side, at Portland, Grays Harbor, and the Sound, have closed down, pending the settlement of the tariff revision question. Foreign markets never buy on a falling market. A number of the smaller mills in Washington and Oregon have clubbed together and entered into the foreign trade, because their market in the east of the states have been practically closed down, and they must do something to survive. The lumber is being sold by them at very low prices. I look, however, to an improvement in the foreign trade, immediately on the settlement of the tariff question.

"Our plant at Chemainus is now working at full capacity, 200,000 feet a day. We are shipping about 100,000 feet a day. This principally goes to the north-west. We are piling up considerable quantities of green lumber, which, when dry, is ready for shipment and is replaced by other green lumber. We want to get supplies ahead in case of large orders."

In reply to a question, Mr. Palmer stated that there was bound to be a surplus of logs in the near future owing to the large number of camps going in consequence of the poor assortment and high price of logs early in the year.

The rail trade at present, according to Mr. Palmer, is in a very satisfactory condition.

### Annual Concert Given.

The seventeenth annual concert by the pupils of Professor E. G. Wickens took place last evening in the Insti-

tute hall, View street. A good audience was in attendance and the proceeds were in aid of the furnishing fund of the Y. M. C. A. new building.

### Reception to New Pastor.

A reception to the new pastor, Rev. A. M. Miller, was given last evening by the congregation of the James Bay Methodist church in the auditorium of the church. There was a large audience present and all went home happy at the close. Mr. Lindsay occupied the chair while a good musical programme was given. An address of welcome was read by S. W. Bailey, to which the new pastor replied in a few well chosen words. Short addresses were afterwards given by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone, of the Reformed Episcopal church, the Rev. T. E. Holing of the Metropolitan Methodist church and the Rev. A. E. Roberts of the Victoria West Methodist church. Refreshments were served at the close.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. James A. Hynes of Sault Ste Marie, Miss Julia E. Murphy and Miss Kathleen Murphy of Denver Col., are a party of tourists in Victoria this week.

Sir Richard Musgrave, Captain R. S. and Mrs. Chaplin, have gone on a tour to the whaling grounds with Captain Balcom, and will return about the end of the week.

Mrs. E. L. Fawcett, of 1020 Collinson street, will be at home to her friends tomorrow afternoon, after which she will not receive until the second Thursday in October.

A party of little ones enjoyed a delightful afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Swinerton, Harrison street. Her little daughter, Mary Mabel Sater, had a birthday and her little friends Eleanor Beasley, Bruce and Alan Robertson, Dick and Marion Wilson, Davis and Helen Wilson, Baby Gillespie and Richmond Hobson came to help her celebrate it. The children played in the shade on the lawn and then went inside to tea in the dining-room, which was prettily decorated with broom and marguerites and fragrant with the scent of pinks. The dainty refreshments were, it is needless to say, enjoyed by the tired but happy little folks.

### Carpenters Strike

Edmonton, June 8.—As a result of differences with the builders' exchange, 400 union carpenters went on strike here today. The ultimatum from the carpenters on Saturday was that a minimum wage of \$3.75, or approximately 5 cents per hour increase, be granted. The strike will break in on the best building year the city has had for some time. The union men will fight it out.

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## JUDGMENT GIVEN IN REALTY CASE

Full Court Proceeds With List—Dispute Over Child

The appeal of the defendant in the case of Lalonde vs. Caravan was dismissed by a majority of the full court yesterday afternoon. Mr. Justice Morrison dissenting. This was a real estate commission case in which a trade in property was being arranged. The plaintiff arranged with another broker to take a customer to see the land offered, and they thus met with the defendant. The judge below held, and the majority of the full court sustained the view, that the defendant took advantage of that fact to deal direct and thus deprive the agent of the commission to which he was entitled. Shortly before the court rose, the case of McLean vs. Leo Gen Wing was called. This is a complicated mechanic's lien case, in which two appeals are concerned, and it is expected that it will last all day today.

A dispute between the Protestant and Catholic Children's Aid Societies of Vancouver came up in the case of In re Howard, the Court finally deciding in favor of the Roman Catholic Society. The case turned on the "religious persuasion" of the child, who appears to be about six years of age.

From the evidence it appeared that the father had been brought up as a Methodist, but in later years seems to have belonged to no particular church and not to have believed in a hereafter. He also seems to have objected to "parsons and priests," and to have been more particularly opposed to the Roman Catholics. His wife was a Catholic, though "not a very good one," to use her own expression, and for reasons which did not appear it was found necessary to take the child away from her. The father was dead, and the widow claimed that he had given her leave to baptize the child in given church she liked, and after his death she had had it baptized as a Roman Catholic.

On the first application, in consequence of representations that the child was a Protestant, the Vancouver Board placed the child, with the consent of the mother, with the Protestant society. Later on the Catholics got the order rescinded and the custody of the child was given to them. The order, however, was disregarded, and a writ of habeas corpus was obtained from Mr. Justice Martin, from whose decision an appeal was taken.

Sir Hilbert Tupper, K.C. appeared for the appellants and L. G. McPhillips, K.C., for the respondents, and the former argued, amongst other points, that their charters showed that neither society was organized for religious purposes and so could not be said to be of a "religious persuasion" within the meaning of the act, so as to justify the removal of the child. He also contended that the child was a Protestant.

In giving judgment Mr. Justice Irving remarked that difficulty had arisen from the use of the word "religious persuasion" in connection with corporations, but he thought that it was used as a convenient way of indicating the particular stripe of religion of the promoters. The Children's Aid Society of Vancouver appeared to be an un denominational Protestant society while the Children's Aid Society of the Church of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary was an exclusively Roman Catholic concern.

The question was which was entitled to the guardianship of the child, the father's death it had been baptized as a Roman Catholic, and before his death the question of baptism had been discussed, and he thought that the father had practically given his permission. He found that the child was of the Roman Catholic persuasion. Thus they only had to consider if the magistrate had jurisdiction. He thought that under the act the magistrate had the right to review his former ruling, and under the circumstances was justified in the order that he had made. That order vested the legal guardianship in the Roman Catholic Society, so a writ of habeas corpus was the right remedy.

Justices Morrison and Clements gave short judgments agreeing with Mr. Justice Irving.

### AMUSEMENTS

#### New Grand Theatre

The biggest yet in comedy acrobatics is Seymour & Hills turn at the New Grand theatre this week where they present a sensational continuation of pumping fun and hilarity. The team is a man and a woman both good acrobats, working well together in something entirely new and different. The man is a marvel at tumbling and falls on every portion of his body. His somersault work gets the biggest applause of the turn. The Seymour & Hills act will draw of itself as it is a show alone.

Margaret Novelle presumably clairvoyant, is a performer who claims psychic force as her agent for the astounding performance given. Her exhibitions of mental telepathy as demonstrated last night were all quick and correct according to the signals of assent from the audience.

Rialta and Louis J. Mintz are appearing in a new posing oddity entitled "The Artist's Dream." The turn is well sung and the posing of Mlle. Rialta offers graceful and entertaining pictures.

Leo Cooper and Company succeed in the one act dramatic playlet "The Power of Power," adapted from the book of H. D. Cottrell telling the story of the early acts of a man's life which come back to him in later years and of the tests and penalties of his sin. Pasqualina De Voe gives a strong and powerful representation of the character and merits the applause received. Slater Brockman in impersonations;

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### "The Merry Widow"

A Hungarian band appears in the Maxim's scene in "The Merry Widow," lead by Veress, a celebrated cafe leader from the Ritz hotel, Paris. The players come from Buda-Pesth. It was Veress' custom when playing for his guests to wander from table to table, where the pretty women were present, and with his persuasive violin tell them his adoration and his eternal worship of beauty. This is a famous feature of all the great Parisian restaurants, which does not appeal to jealous American husbands with handsome wives, and Richard Harding Davis has written a powerful story around an adventure between Veress and a young American bridegroom, who resented the frank musical expression of admiration by the handsome Hungarian violinist.

The date set for "The Merry Widow" is Monday, June 14th, Victoria theatre.

### "The Servant in the House"

Theatregoers of this city will be glad to hear that Charles Rann Kennedy's famous play, "The Servant in the House," has been secured for one performance at the Victoria theatre, Thursday, June 24th. Henry Miller has decided to combine his two "Servant" companies into one all-star company—the strongest cast ever selected for the play—and send it for a summer tour to the big cities of the Pacific coast. The tour will begin on May 17th, at Winnipeg, Canada, and will end in Denver, after having made the complete circuit of the coast cities.

The celebrated role of the Dralman will be played by Charles Dalton, the former star of "The Sign of the Cross," and one of the original cast with which "The Servant in the House" was produced. George W. Wilson, who has played the Bishop of Lancashire during the past year, will continue in the role. Mr. Wilson will also be remembered as the original "King of the Souths," "If I Were King." The role of Manson will be played by Wilfrid Roger, who has been a member of the all-star Associate Players during the past year.

Lizzie Hudson Collier continues in the role of the Vicar's wife. Miss Collier will be recalled as Wm. H. Crane's leading woman in "The Senator" and leading woman for Otis Skinner in "The Harvester."

Gladys Wynn and Ben Field, two more members of the original company, will be seen in the roles they created.

### Pantages Theatre.

It seems like old times to see a well big vaudeville show at Pantages again after several weeks of just so so programme. The McDonald trio of sensational cyclists, the very best in the business; Gladiah & Blake comedy play; The Australian Duo-Juveniles from Melbourne, appearing here for the first time in America; Charles Sanden "The Man of the Hour" and the regular Pantages features. You can't lose.

## SUNDAY CLOSING BYLAW UNDERWAY

Long Delayed Measure Will Soon Come Before the City Council

Just why the city council should be so long in bringing forward the measure to provide for Sunday closing of fruit and cigar stores is a question which some of those who are interested in the Sunday closing proposition have been asking themselves and their query has been carried to the civic fathers, Alderman Raymond, chairman of the health and morals committee of the council to which body the matter was referred, states that the bylaw is now in course of preparation and will be considered at a meeting of the committee some time this week when it will later be brought before the council and discussed.

The bylaw has been prepared in accordance with the referendum passed upon at the last civic elections. The question of how far the city can go in the matter of Sunday closing was referred to the city solicitor and also to the city barrister and their opinions have been submitted to the council. The new bylaw will be based upon the advice given by the city's legal representatives and now that it has reached thus far the early passing of the bylaw is looked for.

### Must Die in Electric Chair

Albany, N. Y., June 8.—Governor Hughes has declined to interfere in the case of Wm. Scott, convicted of the murder of his mother, Mrs. Della

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### THE BROOM

Not the new broom, which is said to sweep clean, but the broom that makes our hillsides a blaze of glory these lovely summer days. Poets sing of the cherry blossoms of Japan, and people cross the ocean to see them in their transient beauty. Pages have been written, volumes indeed, of the orange blossoms of California and Florida. The apple blossoms of the orchard countries have been famous in song and story. But the gorgeous broom sheds its splendor around and about Victoria, and no one sings its praises or thinks it worth while telling the world what it is like. Over in Seattle, where the great Exposition is being held, the landscape architects, as they call themselves, have been spending thousands of dollars, infinite labor and a remarkable amount of good taste in adorning the grounds with pansies, roses, rhododendrons and other flowers; but over here Dame Nature has scattered the gorgeous blossoms of the broom on every hand with a splendor that no art can hope to rival. In our happy, casual way we take so many things for granted in Victoria that we do not take time to think how others might regard them. It probably never occurred to you, good reader, for example, that if you walk out to Beacon Hill Park, you can see something that is perhaps without a rival in all the world. We mean the combination of snow-capped mountains, sun-kissed waters and hillsides golden with broom. And never were they finer than now and never can they be finer. The sluggish spring, which has kept the mountains white, has delayed the full opening of the broom blossoms until they have come to perfection at a time when it is a perfect delight to wander on the grassy sward, which sweeps along the top of the sea coast. There is not enough money in all the world to reproduce elsewhere what we Victorians have, without having to pay a dollar for it, right at our doors.

The Colonist is not selfish. It would like all the world to come and see this wonderful beauty. It would like to have some of those excellent people in Seattle, who stand with open-mouthed admiration before some few bushes with yellow blossoms on them, come and see our acres of gold. Portland and Tacoma boast of their rose shows, and they are right to do so; but the best that art can do is as nothing with what nature is doing for us. Let us invite all the world to come and see it. As the ferry steamships come in from Vancouver and the Sound, the gorgeous yellow of Beacon Hill is the admiration of all who behold it. But Beacon Hill has no monopoly of this splendor. It is everywhere, and just now in lovely contrast with it are the wild roses and briars, which perfume the air of our country roads. Lovely!—there is nothing like it.

### MUNICIPAL MATTERS

There was an interesting discussion at the Council of the Board of Trade, which will be resumed at the meeting of the full Board to be held tomorrow. It related to municipal matters. As the sessions of the Council are not public, it would be hardly right to repeat what it is understood that the views expressed by the several members; but it can do no harm to say that the spirit of the discussion was that, in view of the many important questions calling for consideration, it is desirable that there should be sympathetic co-operation between the business community as represented by the Board, and the Mayor and Aldermen in the efforts of the latter to deal with the problems arising in city government. If we should say that the spirit, in which the members of the City Council approached the several subjects considered on Monday evening, encouraged the members of the Board's Council to believe if a greater interest were displayed by the citizens generally in municipal affairs, the Aldermanic Board would feel its hands strengthened in dealing with the various matters, outside of routine calling for their attention, we think we would be quite justified. From conversation with members of the Board we are fully satisfied that in addressing themselves to civic problems, they are not actuated by any spirit of hostility to the Aldermanic body and are desirous that they shall not be thought to be intruding their views upon the body, which represents the citizens at large.

No one can claim that the people of Victoria take the right sort of interest in the affairs of the municipality. They generally deal with everything done by the City Council in a spirit of fault finding. We fancy we

will not be far astray if we say that the members of the business community rarely attend meetings of the City Council or concern themselves sufficiently with civic affairs to lead them to present their views personally to the Aldermen. Time and again members of the City Council, not the present council so much as some of its predecessors, have complained to the Colonist of the lack of interest taken by the great majority of the larger taxpayers in the business management of the city's affairs. One can hear an abundance of talk upon the streets of what ought to be done in the way of legislation to bring about a better condition of things; but all the legislation that human ingenuity can devise will not take the place of an active and intelligent interest by the people, who pay the taxes, in the manner in which those taxes are expended.

We have, of course, no means of forecasting what may be the outcome of this revival of interest on the part of the Board in municipal affairs, but if the interest is expressed by the full Board in the same spirit as we are told it found expression at the Council, good results can be confidently expected. We know that the Mayor and Aldermen will welcome any help that the business community can give them, and we are sure that the members of the Board of Trade do not for one moment lose sight of the fact that the responsibility for the government of the city rests with the City Council, nor do they hold any other view than that the members of that body are desirous of giving their fellow citizens the very best service that is in their power.

### A NOVAL SUGGESTION

The suggestion has been made that Canada can put a stop to competition in the construction of battleships by declining to permit the product of her nickel mines to be exported. The world has two sources from which it obtains nickel—Canada and New Caledonia. The latter country belongs to France, and, if Canada were to close her nickel mines to the world outside of the British Empire, it is suggested that France would follow suit. Germany would thereupon have to stop building Dreadnoughts and an era of naval disarmament might be inaugurated. If only Britain and France could build Dreadnoughts the other powers would suddenly see a great and new light in naval matters.

The importance which nickel plays in this connection will be understood when we say that 3-inch nickel steel is better than the old fashioned 9-inch armour. The difference in weight is so great that a ship plated with the nickel steel is of much less displacement and can be driven at a greater speed with smaller power than one covered with the old 9-inch plates. In the construction of a battleship, weight is one of the most important things to be considered. Naval architects estimate with the greatest nicety to see how much can be saved even in the smallest details. Therefore, if one nation had at its command all the nickel in the world, it would be absolutely supreme on the sea, until something was discovered to take the place of nickel steel.

It is easy to suggest no end of difficulties in the way of preventing foreign powers from securing Canadian nickel, but we venture to say that if the world's supply of this metal came from one of the German States, the Kaiser and his advisers would not be slow to devise a way of preventing Great Britain from getting any.

### TARIFF AND TRADE

There is transpiring at Washington, D.C., a performance that has been in progress for more than three months, without any immediate prospect of the curtain being dropped. Last year the world was told that the election of President Taft meant tariff reform. Upon whatever other part there may have been doubt there was none on this. Now tariff reform in the United States means something very different from what it does in the United Kingdom. At least that is what people thought. It was generally believed that in the United States it meant a reduction of duties, whereas in the United Kingdom it meant the imposition of them. When Mr. Taft was inaugurated, his first official step of note was to call Congress together to reform the tariff. A measure was prepared in the House of Representatives, which, while not just what the people thought they were going to get, bore some sort of a family likeness to it. Then the Senate took it up. What it will be like when that august body disposes of it, no one can say, but it will certainly be something that will meet the very hearty approval of every trust magnate and monopolist in the country. For a time the consumers, that is 95 per cent of the population, took some little interest in the matter; but they have ceased to pretend even to do so. They are absolutely powerless. The United States Senate is a political institution which is as irresponsible to the common people as a comet. Meanwhile trade is languishing. Business in the United States absolutely refuses to resume the buoyancy which marked it two years ago. We are inclined to think that this condition of things presages a change. The people of the United States are a long-suffering lot. They believe they are governing themselves. One of these days, and it will likely be when the new tariff is settled, they will discover that they have no more to say about how they shall be

governed than the Samoyeds of Siberia. Then something will happen.

The movement to put the telephone wires underground is in the right direction. We are sure that it will meet with general approval.

That Silver Spring brewery question seems likely to be the successor of the Craigflower Road. Victoria West has its share of problems, and they are usually of a specially difficult kind.

If so many people were not so cocksure about war between Britain and Germany, we might feel uneasy in view of all the talk that is made nowadays. But as a rule war comes from unexpected quarters.

The sketches of the pioneer women of Victoria, which the Colonist is publishing, are attracting a great deal of attention, and are being reproduced in whole or in part by many newspapers in the United States and Canada.

An inquiry has been made into Wall Street's method of doing business and its general effect upon the United States. The people of that country are getting in a frame of mind that will support pretty vigorous measures to break the power of the money lords.

Complaint is made that there is great laxity in respect to the sale of liquor along the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Edmonton and the Rocky Mountains. We think the Provincial Police can be trusted to see that in this province a tight rein will be kept over this line of business in the vicinity of the railway.

As far as can be gathered from the necessarily incomplete reports of the speeches before the press conference in regard to the naval defence of the Empire, the representatives of British public opinion, who spoke, favored the maintenance of colonial navies. We think that this is the line upon which public opinion throughout the empire will crystallize.

"How splendidly the Grand Trunk Pacific managed that Prince Rupert sale of building lots!" exclaims the Canadian Courier. We have no desire to take from the G. T. Pacific any credit to which it is entitled, but if the Courier wishes to know where a great part of the responsibility for this splendid sale lies, it will on inquiry find it is upon the provincial government. It was certainly a well managed sale. The man, who wanted a lot, got it; if he was able and willing to pay more for it than some one else, it was a fair field and no favors.

We are glad to see that Mr. Templeman has been making an effort for the improvement of the mail service in Northern British Columbia. It is also said that the minister is going to visit that part of the province and the Yukon. While he is giving his attention to Northern British Columbia, may we suggest that he think a little about the anomalous position created by the transfer to the Dominion of the 3,500,000 acres of the choicest land in the Peace River valley? This country is about to be settled. The province will have to provide for administering it, and the Dominion will get all the money from the sale of the land. Of course, this was the bargain, but it is a hardship just the same, and we do not believe one of the eastern provinces, Quebec, for example, would have been compelled to put up with it.

The people of the United States are the only ones in the world who appear to be ignorant of the rules of flag courtesy. Hardly an occasion arises when a foreign flag is shown in that country without some absurd blunder being made. The last was the hoisting of the Japanese flag below the United States flag at the Exposition grounds in Seattle, which led to its removal being ordered by a Japanese officer. If flags are flown purely for decorative purposes, that is, if they are used simply as bunting, the relative position in which they are placed may not matter, although it is poor taste to use the flag of a foreign country as so much bunting. But if a foreign flag is flown as a matter of international courtesy or as a mark of respect, it should fly at the same level as the flag of the home country. This is the rule all the world over, except in the United States, and it is the rule in the United States among people who know anything about such matters. To raise a foreign flag under one's own is as if a man should ask his friend to dinner and then should send him out to eat in the kitchen while the family dined in the dining room.

There is something very remarkable going on in the United Kingdom just now. The provision of a labor exchange and the suggestion of insurance against unemployment are steps which would have been thought revolutionary even ten years ago. Some people think they are revolutionary even now. In Mr. Lloyd George the people of the United Kingdom have one of the most extraordinary men that has been in British public life for many years. There may be some doubt as to the absolute sincerity of Mr. Winston Churchill on any subject, for he has not exhibited consecutiveness of political ideas; but with Mr. Lloyd George there is no room for any question. He is absolutely sincere, and coupled with his sincerity there is a courage and a mastery of details that make him one of the most formidable of parliamentary leaders. To these, he adds unflinching courtesy, and an admirable faculty of expressing himself. Four centuries ago such a man as he would have led an armed revolution and forced concessions from King and barons. Now he leads a movement, which he himself says is "directed against the cruelty and privations of our present social system." He is a notable man at the head of a notable movement.

## STYLISH CRIBS



### For the Tiny Tots

WE HAVE a splendid showing of metal cribs at popular prices. These are new arrivals and if you are one of the mothers who have been awaiting the arrival of these furniture pieces we suggest that you come in and see these splendid values.

Special features distinguish these cribs—special drop sides, superior non-rustable springs, etc. They come from the largest metal bed factory in the world and bear the same marks of superiority that characterize their beds.

Pleased to have you come in and see the range at from, each—

\$9.00 to \$14.50

## PICNIC BASKETS

### Some New Arrivals

Summer here means pic-nics in every spare half-day. The main feature of the pic-nic is the lunch—it's the one thing one cannot do without. And a means of transportation for that welcome lunch is ready for you here.

We have lately received an excellent line of lunch baskets of stylish design—designs any MAN won't object to carrying. Much as they like the lunch some object to carrying the "package" through the streets. Here's a solution of the difficulty.

Prices are easy, styles are attractive and we have your size—

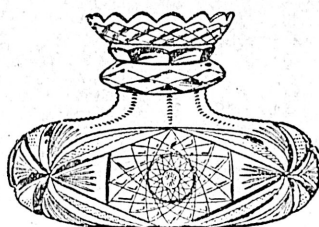
25c to 75c

## LADIES' REST ROOM

Have you visited our new Ladies' Rest Room? Up on the second floor we have a room built specially for you Ladies—a convenient and comfortable place to rest, write, read or meet your friends. Built for you, so make use of it when in town.

## SPECIAL VALUES IN

# Cut Glass



WE HAVE just received a special purchase of Cut Glass made by our Mr. Otto Weiler when in the East this Spring. We are able to offer you some very attractive glass at easy prices.

Here's an excellent opportunity to purchase a beautiful wedding gift for some June bride and save on the buying.

Patterns are attractive and the cutting deep—superior glass that any bride would be proud to own.

Come in and see these pieces today. There aren't many, so an early visit is desirable.

WATER BOTTLES at, each . . . \$4.00

VASES at, each \$8.00 and . . . \$6.50

BOWLS at, each . . . \$6.00

TUMBLERS at, per dozen . . . \$12.00

## Dozens of Uses for These Fine Cretonnes

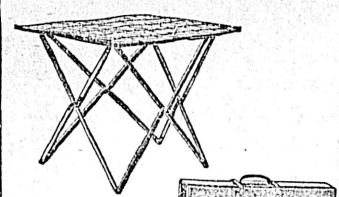


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NOTHING so furnishes the bungalow or Summer cottage as draperies and upholsteries of light-weight washable fabrics. Our selection this season comprises a very comprehensive showing of dainty and suitable materials—much the handiest offerings in this store's history.

The choice in charming cretonnes is broad and the variety of uses to which these dainty materials may be put, many. Some exquisite floral designs are shown—designs quite in keeping with the summertime bloom. Suitable for curtains, loose covers, etc., to laundry bags. Price is the only "small" feature—starts from, per yard—

## CAMP FURNITURE



### The Guaranteed Sorts

GOLD MEDAL, camp furniture is unique in that it is unusually strong and light and folds more compactly than any other camp furniture on the market. It is guaranteed to bear certain stated weights—guaranteed the very strongest folding camp furniture made.

For the camper it is the ideal style. Being so light and folding so compactly makes it easy to "pack" from camp to camp. Let us show you the offerings in stools, reclining chairs, camp beds, tables, wash stands, baths, etc. Easy pricings on every piece.

FOLDING CAMP STOOLS . . . . . 60¢

RECLINING CHAIRS . . . . . \$1.50

FOLDING CHAIRS . . . \$1.00

FOLDING CAMP BEDS . . . . . \$3.00

FOLDING ARM CHAIRS . . . . . \$2.25

FOLDING TABLES . . \$4.50

## LEMONADE SETS

8-Piece Sets at \$1.00

A glass of delightfully cool lemonade is refreshing on a dusty Summer day. Here is an opportunity to make the lemonade doubly inviting—an attractive set from which to serve it.

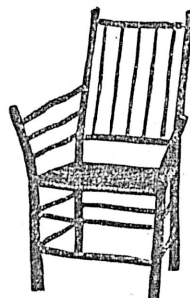
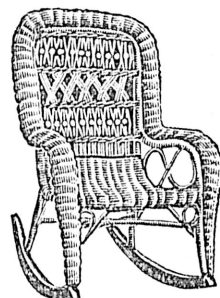
These lemonade or water sets are priced so low that every home should have one. Set consists of 6 glasses, pitcher and nickel-plated tray. Plain, engraved and colored styles are shown—something to suit every taste. See the range at, from—

\$1.00 to \$2.50

## FURNITURE REPAIRS

Let us repair your old furniture and make it look like new at little cost. An expert staff of workmen are prepared to execute any such work in a prompt and efficient manner. Then we have a splendid stock of coverings if your furniture needs recovering.

## Summer Furnishings Chosen From This Stock Will Please You. This Store Is Headquarters



MATTERS not what your requirements may be in Summer furniture or furnishings, you'll find the satisfying an easy matter if you come here. This establishment is easily first in its offerings of such lines—first in variety and choice and first in quality and values.

Many new arrivals in reed and rush chairs suitable for Summer service have lately been added to the stock. In "Old Hickory," that popular Summer furniture, we show a wonderful variety. Gold Medal camp furniture is the very finest in camp furniture and this store is headquarters for it.

In blankets and bedding suitable for camp and Summer cottage needs we can please with our splendid offerings. Cheap, serviceable mattresses are also shown.

In ice cream freezers we offer the "Lightning," and there isn't a better freezer made anywhere. Water filters are shown in the china store and a host of camp crockery is also offered here. When you start to plan "camp," plan to come here for your needs.

Furnishers of

HOMES  
HOTELS, CLUBS  
BOATS

Weiler Bros

Furnishers of

CHURCHES  
SCHOOLS, STORES  
OFFICES



# CANADIAN TEAM NEAR KING'S CUP

Big Event at London Horse  
Show Won by France,  
Canada Second

London, June 8.—Olympia was packed to its fullest capacity this afternoon for the gala performance of the third annual International Horse Show given in honor of the visit of Their Majesties the King and Queen. The building was elaborately and beautifully decorated with flowers, and had the appearance of a huge conservatory. The bright costumes of the women, varied with the uniforms of the officers present, made a color scene that was strikingly picturesque and animated.

All the foreign officers who were present to compete for the King Edward VII. challenge cup, were lined up in the reception hall and saluted. Their Majesties as they entered the building. Practically all the ambassadors and ministers in London were present, accompanied by their wives and daughters.

The event of greatest interest on the programme was the jumping competition for the King's cup, a trophy valued at \$2,500, in which teams representing the Argentine, Belgium, Canada, Great Britain, France and Italy took part. In this competition teams composed of those officers of the same nationality in uniform, riding their own or government horses, covered the entire course and took a number of hurdles. This cup is to be held for one year by the winning nation, and to be returned to the international horse show by June 1st of 1910.

The cup today was won by the French team, with the Canadian team a close second, and the English team third.

## FAKE EMPLOYMENT AGENTS ARE MANY

Seattle, June 8.—The police department of Seattle has been busy apprehending fake employment agents during the past week. In one day, thirty complaints were made by persons who had paid fees ranging from \$1 to \$3 for jobs that were never received. By means of alluring advertisements, a dozen agencies seem to have been doing a land-office business among newcomers who have flocked to the Queen City of Puget Sound from all parts of the country. Some of them have been pretending to book applicants for places at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, offering attractive salaries, without the least authority to do so. Captain of Detectives Tennat says that all complaints will be vigorously prosecuted in an effort to clear the city of its scourge.

## THIS WORM IS A LANTERN

Virginia Farmer Has a Queer "Reptile" That Gives Light

Richmond, Va., June 8.—A farmer from the country brought to the city Hall a peculiar worm which has the appearance of a small sea serpent. The reptile is six inches long and somewhat resembles a toad. It was though many times larger, and adorned with serpent's scales and an aristocratic manner unknown to the tobacco pests.

When the worm was taken into the darkness of the city vaults its body glowed like a string of pearls, the light being sufficient to enable the officials to recognize one another in the darkness of the vault. The thing seemed to be harmless, though an opportunity to sting or bite was not afforded it today.

## DR. CHOWN SAYS BETTING IS BAD

Pembroke, Ont., June 8.—The Governor-General was severely criticised for patronizing the Woodbine races yesterday by Rev. Dr. Chown, addressing the Montreal Methodist conference. Dr. Chown denounced the betting evil, and said that next session if the government failed to introduce a prohibitory bill, a private member would, they having a promise to that effect already. Dr. Chown also commented on the white slave traffic, and said the penalty should be death. He should like to see a law passed making adultery a crime. The speaker was very optimistic regarding the growth of temperance sentiment in Canada, and was thankful for the prohibition of liquor from military camps.

## SNAKES MAKE HOME IN A CAR

Workmen Find a Colony of Strangers Supposedly From Sunny South

Owosso, Mich., June 8.—While preparing to repair a refrigerator car in the Ann Arbor Railroad shops here workmen removed part of the inside and outside walls. As they were pulling out the hair packing John Lundy, foreman, received the shock of his life. A sharp hiss was followed by the appearance of the ugly black head of a huge snake, with darting fangs that came close to Lundy's face. His snakeship, three feet long, was no sooner despatched than its mate, equally large, wriggled across the floor of the car in a belligerent attitude. Subsequently five more snakes were brought to light and killed.

It is believed the snakes had crawled into the car while it was being loaded with fruit in the South and found a good resting place between the double walls.

## AT THE CITY HOTELS

At the Empress—  
E. J. Palmer, Chemahus.  
C. W. Sprague, Seattle.  
J. C. Corbin, Seattle.  
W. K. Cook, Toronto.  
H. S. Clement, Prince Rupert.  
Andrew Anderson, Winnipeg.  
Hubert T. Palmer, Montreal.  
W. Bell Davidson, Ottawa.  
E. S. Derrington, Boston.  
Mrs. L. Jackson, Eau Claire, Wis.  
Mrs. F. J. Haynes, St. Paul.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hawkins, Montreal.  
S. Benson, Vancouver.  
A. B. Garrett, Vancouver.  
Chas. A. Barclay, Vancouver.  
E. W. Stark, Vancouver.  
J. W. Collier, Vancouver.  
Geo. E. Leighton, Sheffield.  
Mrs. M. M. McIntyre, Winnipeg.  
D. M. McIntyre, Winnipeg.  
Miss Josephine Bawit, Winnipeg.  
Miss MacLean, Vancouver.  
F. W. Churchhouse, San Francisco.  
C. B. Branton, New York.  
Mrs. J. O. Perry, New York.  
Miss Mona Perry, New York.  
Mrs. T. H. Wilson, Vancouver.

Elliott S. Rowe, Vancouver.  
Wm. Keith, Vancouver.  
Anna M. Looker, Dubuque, Ia.  
H. F. McAllister, Vancouver.  
A. E. Hall, Seattle.  
P. E. Kilsell, Los Angeles.  
Mrs. L. Torry, Los Angeles.  
Mrs. L. Chapman, Los Angeles.  
Mrs. W. Summers and maid, Dublin.  
Miss Crawford, Dublin.  
Miss Cuppard, Dublin.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Porter, Seattle.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn, San Francisco.  
H. D. Burns, Vancouver.  
A. N. Kellogg, Seattle.  
E. E. Beens, Seattle.  
H. Hemming, Shawinigan.  
S. MacIntyre, Vancouver.  
J. J. Thompson, Vancouver.  
J. C. Hogan, Vancouver.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Welsh, Vancouver.  
R. L. Reid, Vancouver.

## At the Driard—

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Roy, Vancouver.  
Mrs. Butler, Vancouver.  
Robt. Irving, Vancouver.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peck, Nelson.  
H. F. Martin, Fernie.  
Fred White, Vancouver.  
G. A. Britton, Vancouver.  
Daniel Piegras, Seattle.  
J. M. Donovan, Toronto.  
J. R. Radd, Seattle.  
C. H. Simpson, Winnipeg.  
Thos. Cotter, Winnipeg.  
Alex. Craig, Edmonton.  
K. P. Grant, Parsons Bridge.  
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S. Benning, Montreal.  
Norman Christie, Seattle.  
D. Barndt, Seattle.  
R. W. Nicholson, Vancouver.  
R. Huitt, Montreal.  
H. A. Harris, Liverpool.  
W. B. Blackadder, New York.  
Ralph Bill, Seattle.  
M. Mackinnon, Winnipeg.  
S. R. Allen, Kingston.  
Wm. Cummings, Montreal.  
C. A. Emmerson, New York.  
Fred B. Walls, Boston.  
Miss J. Becker, Tacoma.  
Jas. Mumford, Vancouver.

## At the King Edward—

E. Yandell, Seattle.  
Geo. Hendrick, Seattle.  
Mrs. Hendrick, Seattle.  
Thos. S. Ives, La Crosse, Wis.  
J. C. Donovan, Sidney.  
W. T. Coleman, Seattle.  
S. M. Cochran, Seattle.  
S. J. Hazan, Chemahus.  
Mrs. Hazan, Chemahus.  
W. H. Jackott, Duncan.  
A. C. McCorkle, Vancouver.  
A. M. Nolan, Tacoma.  
J. Frank Anderson, Rosalia.  
Mrs. F. Morse, San Francisco.  
E. G. Wheeler, Seattle.  
A. McCorkle, Seattle.  
H. W. Jones, Ottawa.  
Mrs. Jones, Ottawa.  
O. A. Tereck, Gessito, L. D.  
Mrs. Tereck, Gessito, L. D.  
L. W. Peanens, Seattle.  
L. J. Cowie, Seattle.  
Mr. and Mrs. Rucker, Sooke.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, Vancouver.  
James Rae, Vancouver.  
Estelle Brown, Winnipeg.

## At the Dominion—

C. W. Darby, Los Angeles.  
James Mutch, Vancouver.

## LUCKY MR. BROWN

If it had not been for "Fruit-a-tives," Mr. Lemuel Brown, of Avondale, N.B., would still be living on stale bread and porridge, and suffered tortures with indigestion.

His stomach was so weak that he had to give up all kinds of meats, potatoes, and other vegetables, and even deny himself the comforts of a cup of tea. Fortunately, Mr. Brown read about "Fruit-a-tives," bought a box, and was so much improved by taking the tablets that he used four boxes altogether. "I have been a great sufferer from indigestion for fifteen years. About two years ago I read about 'Fruit-a-tives,' and concluded to give them a trial. I used nearly four boxes of 'Fruit-a-tives,' and they have made me feel like a new man. I can eat all kinds of hearty foods, and enjoy tea and coffee." This is not a rare case, but the regular experience of everyone who uses "Fruit-a-tives" for Weak Stomach, Indigestion, and Dyspepsia. Try them. 50c a box, six for \$2.50, or trial box, 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Louis Kiel, Vancouver.  
G. H. Carlyle, Vancouver.  
W. Fletcher, Vancouver.  
H. G. Neeland, Nelson, B. C.  
F. W. Williams, Hazelton, B. C.  
N. M. Spencer, Buffalo.  
W. W. Wsner, Seattle.  
Laura Benninghoff, Vancouver.  
Ella Wallace, Warsaw, Ind.  
Alba Wallace, Warsaw.  
Wm. A. Dugmore, Vancouver.  
C. Metcalfe, Hammond.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith, St. Thomas.  
Cera Smith, St. Thomas, Ont.  
H. J. Gardine, Seattle.  
Norman Wolfendale, Lancaster, Eng.  
Mrs. J. Hermann, Indiana.  
Miss Hermann, Indiana.  
T. H. Lambourn, N. Y.  
Mrs. R. H. Watson, Tiffin, Ohio.  
Miss H. Watson, Tiffin.  
R. W. Rolfe, Swift Current.  
W. H. Walsh, London.  
P. W. Dowler, Vancouver.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stokes, Regina.  
L. King, Vancouver.  
J. Irwin, Vancouver.  
Harry Lowe, Seattle.  
H. H. Bishop, Vancouver.  
E. G. Wheeler, Seattle.  
W. Wadde, Vancouver.  
W. Walten, Vancouver.  
W. Stewart, Vancouver.  
A. E. Thompson, Vancouver.  
F. Lobhon, Vancouver.

## At the Balmoral—

Mrs. Webster, Duncans.  
Lorne Alkitt, Collingwood, Ont.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Danville, Ill.  
Bert Thompson, Danville.  
Mae Keller, Kokomo, Ind.  
Maud Latimer, Webb City, Mo.  
Sue Burnett, Freeport, Kan.  
J. W. Plinton, Sault Ste. Marie.  
W. M. Monat, Ganges, B. C.

# Summer Silk Suggestions

Silk connoisseurs affirm that "All soft Silks are good." The test of popular demand here for silks proves that soft weaves in plain colors are most in order for this summer. Pongees have a tremendous vogue, and they deserve it. They are deservedly popular.

Pongee Silks	Pongee Silks
Per yard, 40c and .....50¢	Extra wide. Per yard, 75c and....\$1.00
Pongee Silk for Coating—Extra heavy. Per yard .....\$1.25	Colored Pongee Silks—In all the very latest shades. Per yard .....85¢
Figured Foulard Silks—Per yard .....	50¢

## New Parasols for the Races

Ladies' Parasols—Excellent gloria covers, assorted colors, the newest shades, \$2.00 and .....\$1.50

Striped Parasols—Very handsome, fancy satin stripes. Acme of good value at .....\$2.25

Silk-Covered Parasols—Plain exceptionally stylish, all the desired new shades, at \$2.50 and .....\$2.25

Pongee Parasols—These smart pongee silk-covered sunshades will be very popular. All shades. Only .....\$3.25

Black Parasols—These have smart white stripes and are very charming, \$4.50 to .....\$3.00

Black-Striped Parasols—Just what smart wearers all appreciate. Pleasing prices, too, \$5.25 to .....\$4.50

Fancy Striped Parasols—Heavy silk covers. Splendid quality, newest ideas .....\$7.25



# Henry Young & Co.

1123 Government Street

# Western Canada Wood Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd.

HEAD OFFICE, 638 VIEW STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.  
Plant under course of erection at Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island.

## ASSETS

The company have acquired 55,669 acres of Pulp Land on Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island.

## WATER POWER

In addition to the vast Pulp Limits acquired, the company have also secured a 20,000-inch water record on Marble creek, at Quatsino Sound, capable of developing from 10,000 to 15,000 h. p. This creek derives its source from three lakes, 20 miles in length, and is thus permanent the year round.

## CAPACITY OF PLANT

The plant when fully complete will have a capacity of 600 tons of news and wrapping per week, and feel confident that we will have the pulp plant with a weekly capacity of 100 tons in operation by December 1st of this year.

## COST OF MANUFACTURE

With our tremendous pulp limits which enable us to secure our pulp wood at a nominal figure and splendid water power, the cost of manufacture of news and wrapping paper should not exceed \$30.00 per ton; at present news is jobbing in British Columbia at \$60.00 per ton. The freight rate in carload lots from Ontario and Quebec being \$17.00 per ton.

## LOCAL MARKETS

The local market of the company extends east a thousand miles to Moose Jaw and tributary region. Within the above territory the annual consumption of paper is estimated at a thousand tons exclusive of that used by printers and newspapers. The five daily papers of Victoria and Vancouver alone consume over 100 carloads of paper per year.

## FOREIGN MARKETS

The foreign markets of the company consist of China, Japan, New Zealand, Australia, Hawaii and the Philippines. In 1908 the above countries imported over \$10,000,000 worth of wood pulp and paper, principally from Norway, Sweden, Germany, Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.

## FREIGHT RATES TO ORIENT

A freight rate from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per ton can be secured from British Columbia to China, Japan, New Zealand and Australia, on wood pulp and paper, as against a rate of \$7.00 to \$15.00 per ton on the same commodities from Eastern Canada and Europe; being from 3,000 to 5,000 miles nearer the Oriental market than Eastern Canada or European mills, we not only are able to secure a much lower freight rate, but also a lower insurance rate.

## NATURAL ADVANTAGES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

News and wrapping paper are manufactured principally from Spruce, Hemlock, Balsam and Larch wood; one ton of chemical wood pulp requires approximately two cords of four-foot wood. At present Spruce and Hemlock wood is worth from \$8.00 to \$9.00 per cord in Eastern Canada; our facilities enable us to secure it at less than \$3.00 per cord. In 1908 the American mills were obliged to pay from \$9.00 to \$15.00 per cord.

## PROGRESS OF WORK

We are proceeding as fast as possible with the work. The erection of the plant has been placed under the exclusive supervision of Mr. Chas. B. Pride, of Appleton, Wis., one of the most distinguished authorities on the erection of pulp and paper mills in the United States, having built more than 50 of the leading mills of the country, and he is confident at being able to have the pulp mill in operation by December 1st of this year.

## SALE OF STOCK

In offering the preferred stock of this corporation, we do so with a feeling that it is the best industrial stock ever offered for subscription in Western Canada. At present it is impossible to buy stock in the majority of the operating paper mills of Canada and there is no question but that inside of 18 months the stock of this corporation will be selling at a handsome premium. Remember, the time to buy stock in any corporation is six months before a wheel has been turned, not after it is in operation.

## PROFITS IN PULP AND PAPER MANUFACTURE

No industry, not even mining itself, has yielded as large and permanent dividends as the manufacture of wood pulp and paper, and there is no reason why the mill which we are now erecting should not pay at least 25 per cent annual dividends. Under much less favorable conditions, the Eastern Canadian and English mills are paying from 10 to 25 per cent. With our natural advantages, we should be able to make a profit of approximately \$15.00 per ton on newspaper, \$20.00 per ton on wrapping paper, and \$15.00 per ton on box board and pulp board. The Pacific Coast mills of the United States are now making a net profit, after deducting depreciation, operating expenses, bonds, etc., of approximately \$15.00 per ton on wrapping and \$15.00 per ton on box and pulp boards, and this after paying from \$6.00 to \$8.00 per cord for wood. In 1908 the Laurentide Paper Company showed a profit of \$251,458. The Kellner-Partington Pulp & Paper Company showed a gross profit last year of \$1,252,205. The official United States Government Report, issued at Washington, D. C., July 25th, 1907, Bulletin 80, showed that the mills of the State of Oregon made a profit of 20-23 per cent of the value of goods over all expenses. The three mills in the State of California showed the value of goods over all expenses, of 19 per cent. The gross profits of the International Paper Company for the year ending June 30th, 1908, amounted to \$1,635,918.

Under date of February 10, 1908, Mr. Herman Ridder, President of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, filed charges against the Paper Trust of the United States, and in his disposition to Hon. Chas. J. Bonaparte, Attorney-General of the United States, said:

"News print paper mills that are not entirely modern are now making paper at figures that show a profit of more than \$20.00 per ton on the paper prices just announced by the International Paper Company, \$52.50 per ton. In other words for paper delivered, say, in New York, up-to-date mills are making a profit of more than 60 per cent on the cost of manufacture, delivery and storage, and they are making a profit of more than 40 per cent upon a reasonable allowance for the capital required for a modern plant."

With our close proximity to the Oriental market, there is no reason why we should not make, conservatively, 10 per cent more dividends than the Eastern Canadian or American mills. In 1908 Australia imported over 60,000 tons of news, principally from Eastern Canada and Europe. Why should we let this great volume of paper go to Eastern Canada, Eastern United States and Europe, when we are in a position to control it ourselves? Every dollar of paper used in the Orient should be furnished from Western Canada. With sufficient mills to produce the goods, what country is in a better position to control the trade of the Orient than British Columbia? Not only are we able to manufacture news and wrapping paper from \$2.00 to \$8.00 per ton lower than Eastern Canada and American mills, but we are from 2,000 to 3,000 miles nearer the great Oriental markets. The demand for news and wrapping paper is gradually increasing, and within ten years China, Japan, Australia and New Zealand will be absolutely dependent upon this province for its supply of pulp and paper. We know the big dividends that the paper mills of the world are paying, and with our immense timber limits, covering 86 square miles, which assures a permanent supply of wood at a nominal cost, there is no reason why we should not pay even larger dividends than the present operating mills.

## We Now Offer for Subscription the Remainder of the First Issue of

# 300,000 PREFERENCE SHARES

## IN BLOCKS OF 100 SHARES AT \$1.00 PER SHARE

## PAYMENTS: FIFTEEN PER CENT ON APPLICATION, FIFTEEN PER CENT IN THIRTY DAYS

Balance, 10 per cent, per month until fully paid. The Preferred Stock is entitled to a cumulative dividend of 7 per cent, payable out of the net profits of the Company before any dividend is paid on the Ordinary Stock, after a like amount has been paid on the Ordinary Stock, both Stocks thereafter participate equally.

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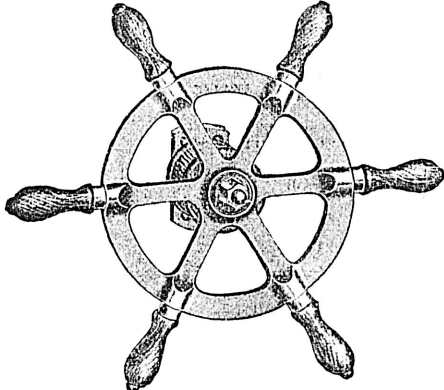
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## NEWS OF THE CITY

### License Transfers

The regular quarterly meeting of the board of license commissioners will be held this afternoon, at the city hall, when four transfers of liquor licenses will be considered as well as other minor matters, over which the board has jurisdiction.

### Garden Party

A garden party in aid of St. James' church will be held at the residence of Mrs. Smith, Government street, on Thursday, June 17th, from 3 to 6.30 p. m. Afternoon tea, strawberries and cream and ice cream will be served by the ladies. No admission.

### Issues Handsome Souvenir.

The Vancouver-Prince Rupert Meat Company have issued an attractive souvenir in the shape of a desk clock and perpetual calendar combined. The novelty is a handsome one, the lettering on it being in gold, and in addition to its neatness, it is decidedly useful.

### Will Erect Dwellings

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to W. C. Moresby, who will erect a frame dwelling on Trutch street to cost \$3,000; to William Baylis for a frame dwelling on Robertson street to cost \$2,600, and to H. M. Cowper, for a dwelling on Cook street to cost \$1,500.

### Succeeding Colonel Holmes

Colonel Holmes, D. C. O., will probably resign his command during the latter part of August. His successor, Colonel Peters, who will assume the command is expected to arrive here by September 1st. Colonel Peters is widely known as a good soldier, and is expected to prove very popular.

### Conservative Meeting

The Conservative association has changed its headquarters to the rooms formerly occupied by the Pacific club, on Government street. A special meeting of the executive to consider important business will be held at the new quarters tonight.

### To Inspect Fifth

Inspector-General Otter, of the Canadian militia forces, will arrive in the city today. On Friday night he will hold a parade of the Fifth Regiment at the drill hall. This is a compulsory parade, and every man who nurses being in attendance loses a day's pay as well as efficiency pay.

### Examinations in Music

The University of Toronto local examinations in theory were held yesterday in St. Ann's Academy, Mrs. A. T. Watt, M. A., presiding. The piano examinations will be held at the same place on June 30th, the examiner being Mr. W. H. Hewlett, of Hamilton, Ont., who is known throughout that province as an organist and musician of high standing.

### Hon. Dr. Young Goes North.

Hon. Dr. Young, the provincial secretary, who has left on a trip to Atlin, will be absent about three weeks. The doctor was prevented last year from visiting his constituents, and owing to the press of work it was feared for a time that he would be prevented from going north until later in the year, but he managed to get away on Friday evening last.

### Off To Get Pointers.

With a view of looking over the Vancouver motor fire apparatus, and secure pointers on that class of fire fighting machines, Alderman Fullerton will go over to the Terminal city on Saturday. As the city is contemplating the purchase of a new fire engine, and may secure one of the motor variety, the chairman of the fire wardens is anxious to look over the fine points of that type of engine.

### Their Visit Will Be Brief.

John Scott and Fred Matheson, the former of whom claims Chicago as his last place of residence, and the latter stating that he hails from San Francisco, are behind the bars awaiting action by the immigration authorities. Both men, out-of-workers, and loiterers about the race track, were gathered in by the police yesterday afternoon, and as they could give no adequate account of themselves were locked up.

### Contract Not Awarded.

The contract for the chronic building at the Helmeke hospital for the insane was not awarded this week as was expected. On examining the tenders it was found that they all greatly exceeded the estimate of the cost which had been made. It was, therefore, decided to return them to the different tenderers, and the plans will be somewhat revised, when they will be again submitted to those who previously sent in bids for the work.

### Call For Pavement Tenders

The city is calling for tenders for the construction of the Wharf street pavement, which will be of vitrified brick. Tenders must be in by 4 p. m. Monday, June 14th. The work must be completed within two months of the time of the signing of the contract, and the contractor must pay a penalty of \$25 per day for every day's delay. The Denny Benton Brick Company, of Seattle, from which the supply of vitrified brick will be secured, has the necessary material ready awaiting the city's order.

### Complaints Against Assessment

Comparatively few complaints against the assessment figures of the city assessor have been made to date. Some owners who consider that that official's valuation of their lands and improvements is too high, have protested, but as a rule the finding of the assessor appears to give general satisfaction. Those complaints which have been made will be considered by the board of revision, which will sit on June 22nd at 10 o'clock in the morning, and thereafter until all complaints have been adjudicated upon. Complaints against the assessment must be filed not later than ten days prior to the sitting of the court of revision.

### Small Loss From Fire.

Fire which originated from a spark from the kitchen chimney did a small amount of damage to the residence owned by W. E. Newton and occupied by W. C. Kirkbride, 1365 Rockland avenue, yesterday afternoon, shortly after one o'clock. The fire brigade from the central hall made ready time in getting to the scene of the blaze, and soon had the fire out. The damage to the roof amounted to about \$15, and there was a small amount of damage to the furniture from water. In appreciation of the prompt arrival of the brigade, Mrs. Kirkbride contributed a substantial sum to the firemen's fund.



## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., June 8, 1909.

### SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains comparatively high from this province eastward to the Great Lakes and fine warm weather is general here throughout the Pacific slope. The temperature in Kootenay rose to 92 and in Cariboo to 70. The weather is fair and cool in the Prairie provinces.

### TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	76
Vancouver	45	72
New Westminster	46	80
Kamloops	46	92
Barkerville	36	70
Atlin	42	64
Port Simpson	50	62
Dawson, Y. T.	50	70
Calgary, Alta.	36	66
Winnipeg, Man.	44	64
Portland, Ore.	50	82
San Francisco, Cal.	50	62

### FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:  
Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.  
Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

### TUESDAY.

Highest	74.0
Lowest	46.0
Mean	51.0
Sunshine, 14 hours.	

## BUYING LOTS FOR BUILDING PURPOSES

Feature of the Present Activity in the Local Realty Market.

The majority of buying in the Victoria realty market at present appears to be of lots for building purposes. A large number of these have been put through during the last few days. The majority of investors who contemplate coming here to settle down. Among others put through were two lots in James Bay sold to an Upper British Columbia man who purposes locating here. This deal was put through by Currie and Power, Grant and Line. They report the sale of one lot on North Park street, and two on Cornwall street all to be utilized for building.

There has been some steady selling by the Island Investment company in the Burdett subdivision during the past few days. Two waterfront lots at \$1,800 each have changed hands. Considerable inquiry in connection with the Saratoga subdivision in Oak Bay has also been received by the same firm.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

### Sluggert.

The death occurred yesterday of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sluggert of Saanich. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, interment being made in Shady Creek cemetery. The Rev. Mr. Letts will officiate.

### Wilson.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Wilson, wife of Louis Wilson, took place yesterday at 2 p. m. from the residence of Mrs. Kosche, Carlshue, Craigflower road. A number of sympathetic friends were in attendance and numerous flowers adorned the casket, testifying the wide regard in which deceased was held. Interment took place in the Jewish cemetery, services being conducted by Dr. Hartman. The following acted as pallbearers: A. Cook, H. L. Salmon, H. Greensfelder, J. N. Nodok, B. Aaronson and G. R. Werner.

### Briggs.

In connection with those who contributed floral offerings to the funeral of Albert T. Briggs which took place on Monday, the following were omitted: Globe bouquet, Mrs. George Rudlin; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. John Irving, Miss Irving, Miss Genevieve Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lucas.

### Gannon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Gannon took place yesterday afternoon from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing at 3:15 and at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 3:30 o'clock, when services were conducted by the Rev. Father Van Nessel. Several friends attended, many flowers being presented. The following acted as pallbearers: Thomas Watson, W. D. Ferris, H. Campbell, S. A. Bantly, David Murray and F. Johnston.

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Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., March 17th, 1909.

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Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. Minister of Public Works for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

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F. C. GAMBLE,  
Public Works Engineer.

Public Works Department,  
Victoria, B. C., June 2nd, 1909.

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## CIVIC AFFAIRS TO BE DISCUSSED

Board of Trade Council Favors Contractors Doing Local Improvement Work

The question of civic improvements will loom largely at the meeting of the Board of Trade to be held tomorrow afternoon. A resolution drafted at a meeting of the council of the board of trade held yesterday morning favors the application of the contract system to local improvement work, and this matter will be thoroughly threshed out at the monthly meeting.

At the meeting of the board of trade council held yesterday Simon Leiser presided, the following being present: Messrs. H. R. Bullen, S. J. Pitts, Geo. Carter, J. J. Shalleross, C. H. Lugin, J. L. Beckwith, T. W. Paterson and F. A. Pauline.

**Surveys on Island**  
At the previous meeting of the council, Secretary Elworthy was instructed to write to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands for particulars of surveys to be made on Vancouver Island during the present summer. The following reply was received:

Victoria, June 2, 1909.  
F. Elworthy, Esq., Secretary the Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade, Victoria.  
Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 28th ult., in which you ask, by direction, for particulars of surveys to be made on Vancouver Island this year.

I have had the surveyor general prepare for me a report on the different work being done on the island, and herewith enclose except therefrom from which you will see that the island has not been neglected in this respect.

It might be pointed out as a matter of comparison that the areas of land on the island, outside of the N. belt and timber limits, available for survey with a view to settlement are very small in relation to the other portions of British Columbia but should any areas be reported suitable for the purpose and not falling within timber limits, the recommendation of the surveyor general will be given very consideration.

Yours truly,  
FRED. J. FULTON,  
Chief Commissioner of Lands.

**The Memorandum**

The following work in surveys has been undertaken by the government and the parties are now in the field:

H. H. Brown, examination and classification of land in Clayoquot which was surveyed in 1892. Mr. Brown is also traversing for roads and trails to open up this land from Uchikich harbor, and up to date reports much good land. This land was surveyed into forty-acre blocks but not much of it was taken up owing to the lack of regular communication. On the opening up of the Canadian Pacific railway to Alberni all of this land will be within easy reach of the coast.

De. B. Green, with large party on townships in Rupert district engaged in re-running lines which were surveyed in 1891-2, classifying land, and surveying for a road from Shushartie Bay. Much of this land has been applied for and several parties of settlers are already on the ground and have already brought in some sixty head of cattle. The large area of land on the island covered by timber licenses prevents the Government laying off any large areas of land suitable for settlement, but should any area of considerable extent be reported which is clear of timber locations, suitable for settlement purposes, a recommendation will be made with a view of subdividing same.

Letters of acknowledgment of the board's report regarding the establishment of coal bunkers and repair shops on the Songhees reserve by the E. and N. railway, were received from Hon. William Templeman, and the Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada.

**Civic Affairs**

A discussion followed upon civic affairs generally, and it was resolved to place this matter in the agenda paper of business for consideration at the monthly general meeting tomorrow.

The council also resolved to submit the following resolution: "That in the opinion of this board it is most desirable that all works of a local improvement nature, for which application has been made, should be completed without delay, and that to this end the assistance of contractors should be obtained."

From the discussion which arose on civic matters it became apparent that the council of the board of trade fully appreciate the great importance of the questions with which the city council have to deal, and that the hearty co-operation of all citizens was needed.

The resolution, which the council recommends the board to adopt, plainly shows a feeling that if this city is to keep pace with the rapid strides being made by other cities on this coast every application from owners, for improvements to their properties, should be promptly taken in hand and completed. The matter will be open for discussion at tomorrow's meeting at which it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

Having transacted the above business the council adjourned.

**MORE MONEY IS NECESSARY**

School Board Hampered by Lack of Funds—Repair Work Is Imperative

Tonight the regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees will be held when among other matters to be considered will be that of the question of additional funds wherewith to effect the needed repairs to the city schools. The funds at the disposal of the board are wholly inadequate to meet the expense of the repairs which should be made. Trustee McNell will likely press upon the board the necessity of taking steps to raise sufficient funds for the thorough repair of school buildings and the installation of adequate heating and ventilating plants in those schools, which at present are sadly lacking in

these respects, and will urge the necessity of making provision for the purchase of a site in the east end of the city, where school accommodation will soon be required consequent on the rapid growth of that section of the city.

The plans and specifications for the new Moss street school will be submitted to the board for its approval, and when passed upon tenders will be called for. It is the intention of the board to rush the work of construction as fast as possible, so that the new addition to the city's educational facilities will be ready at the earliest possible time, and so relieve the congestion experienced in the other school.

**Funeral. This Afternoon**

The funeral of the late Anthony P. Nicholson will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the Victoria Undertaking company. Rev. John Grundy will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

Montreal customs collections for May were \$1,115,628, an increase of \$94,416.

Patents are issued by 64 countries. To take one out in each country would cost about \$15,000.

## FIFTH GOES TO CAMP SUNDAY

Arrangements for Annual Outing of Local Militia Men

The majority of the arrangements for the summer camp of the Fifth Regiment which opens next Sunday have been made. Number two and three companies will go into camp at Macaulay Point as in previous years and will carry out drill every evening on the six-inch guns. Number one company will have quarters near the naval yard and will drill on the 12-pounders each evening. The annual competitive practice, with the other artillery regiments throughout Canada will take place on a date not yet named.

A church parade will be held on each Sunday while the regiment is in camp, and Sunday band concerts will also take place. The second Saturday in camp will be sports day, when almost every kind of foot races will be held, as well as tug-of-war, etc. The money raised at the regatta, naval and military display given in the Drill Hall will be devoted to buying prizes for these athletic events.

The Fifth Regiment has accepted the challenge of the Edmonton Fusiliers to a rifle contest of ten men aside.

This will take place at the ranges of either regiment, the scores made there being telegraphed to Edmonton, and vice versa. The date set is the 19th inst., when the Fifth will compete at Clover Point over 200, 300 and 600-yard ranges.

Their opponents, the Edmonton Fusiliers are known as the 101st regiment, and have also been nicknamed the "Baby Regiment."

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**Under Victoria Register.**  
Another sailing ship is to have registry this port. As soon as the British bark Yeoman, due from Sydney, N.S.W., arrives here she will be purchased by R. P. Rithet and Co., and will have her register changed to this port. The bark left Sydney on March 26th. The Yeoman was formerly known as the Chilian bark Stefano Razeto, and was purchased by an Australian firm, which sent the vessel to San Francisco to satisfy claims against her. Arrangements are now being made for her to pass into the hands of Rithet and Company.

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## SECRETARY BACK FROM ISLAND TOUR

Visits Clayoquot, Ucluelet and Alberni and Finds People Optimistic Everywhere

The prospects for Vancouver island were never so bright and the inhabitants of the districts just visited by him are full of optimism as to the prospects for the present summer according to E. McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, who returned yesterday from a visit to the west coast.

He went up from here on the steamer Tees and after a stormy passage around Cape Beale landed at Clayoquot. He was the guest of Dr. M. Raymor the president of the branch of the development league at that point and on the evening of his arrival addressed a meeting of the settlers of the district, including many ladies.

The halibut fisheries at this point are prospering greatly and in one day the Indians with their primitive methods of fishing took over 21,000 pounds. From there he proceeded to the head of Toquima inlet and walked some 16 miles across Long Beach and Wreck Bay and across the Indian trails with Mr. H. Hillier, president of the Ucluelet branch to the head of the arm of that name and thence down to the settlement. Here a most successful meeting was held. Many people are making enquiries for land in this district. While Mr. McGaffey was there two young men from Switzerland were on the ground investigating the prospects.

From Ucluelet the trip to Alberni was made in a launch belonging to Mr. Hillier and of the beauties of the sail Mr. McGaffey spoke feelingly. The trip was a wonderful one, lasting from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. Long Beach, he believed is fated to become one of the greatest bathing beaches in the world and the site of a world renowned summer resort. A meeting was held at Old Alberni at 7 o'clock and the secretary of the island organization met many of the prominent members of the branch at this point. From there he proceeded to New Alberni and here another meeting was held at 9 o'clock. The two Albernis will ultimately form one city with a grand future before it. From there he took the stage and went the 56 miles to Nanaimo and thence down to Victoria.

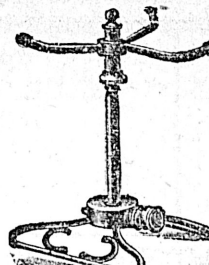
Railway construction is proceeding apace and the contractors are busy upon the cement piers for the bridge at French's creek. The timber was a revelation to Mr. McGaffey and he found it hard to realize that trees going 300,000 feet to the acre could exist.

**Under Victoria Register.**

Another sailing ship is to have registry this port. As soon as the British bark Yeoman, due from Sydney, N.S.W., arrives here she will be purchased by R. P. Rithet and Co., and will have her register changed to this port. The bark left Sydney on March 26th. The Yeoman was formerly known as the Chilian bark Stefano Razeto, and was purchased by an Australian firm, which sent the vessel to San Francisco to satisfy claims against her. Arrangements are now being made for her to pass into the hands of Rithet and Company.

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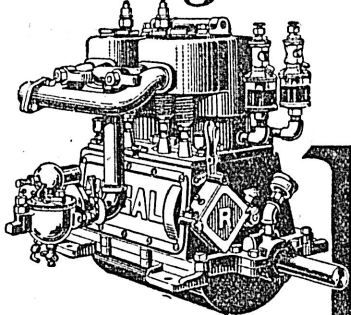
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## Here and There

Among the discoveries made by the British people charged with the duty of carrying out the old-age pensions scheme, was one showing that many sons and daughters who were perfectly well able to support aged parents allowed them to become a burden upon the public. This indicates that among the poorest classes in the mother land there is a disposition to shirk what is the most sacred duty of any man or woman, that of caring for father or mother when age and infirmities have made them incapable of caring for themselves. The greatest of English poets long ago held up the mirror to the people of his time in the tragedy of King Lear. In the "merrie England" of that day there must have been many old men whose hearts were broken by the ingratitude of their children, or Shakespeare could not have portrayed so vividly the heartlessness of the ungrateful daughters, the suffering of the father, or made to stand out in such beautiful contrast the love and faithfulness of the dutiful daughter. And who does not know that in our own day the spirit of Regan and Goneril still survives, and that in many a home those who are neglected and harshly treated who should receive all honor and consideration.

Old age is not always beautiful, and old people, like all sufferers, are often exacting. But have they not from their long service a right to some return from those who have most profited by their labors?

Is it not significant that the ungrateful children in the play should have been daughters? It is the women of the world who must bear the burden of caring for the old as for the very young. It is they whose tenderness and love must smooth the short pathway that remains before the end is reached, or whose selfish heartlessness make the weeks and months and years that remain full of wretchedness.

The aged father or mother who has a son who never wavers in his love and devotion is indeed to be envied. His strength and tenderness are a great solace. But it is the daughter or daughter-in-law who must perform for the aged the many little offices on which their happiness depends. Yet who does not believe that those who do what love and sympathy may to help and to solace the closing years of life are the happier for their labors. Many of these old lives are lived in self-denial, through sloth or selfishness, refuse them a place in their homes and in their hearts are the losers. But even when the contrary is the case, when the eventide of life is clouded over by sorrows and those infirmities of temper or disposition which worn out nerves and too greatly taxed powers of mind are no longer able to control, she who can still be strong and patient and loving will not be without a great reward, not only in the happiness she gives, but in the enriching of her own nature.

Among the causes of poverty among workingmen, if drunkenness be excepted, there is none so great as sickness and accident. The man whose wages, while he is in health, are sufficient to support himself and his family in comfort, finds it very difficult to recover from the effects of a long illness or a serious accident. Not only are the wages lost, but the expense incident to the employment of doctors and nurses, and the purchase of needed delicacies leave him on recovery with a load of debt of which he finds it very difficult to rid himself. The more honest and independent a man is the more does he feel the pressure of his obligations. In our own province various ways of providing against such expenses have been tried. Miners tax themselves for the employment of a doctor. Many belong to benefit societies, and in time of sickness are cared for by the fraternity. But there are always some who make no provision for possible illness or accident.

In some countries the state undertakes the duty of caring for the sick or the injured working man. By a system of compulsory insurance a fund is raised which pays all expenses. In Germany such insurance is adopted very widely. There 11,500,000 are insured against sickness; 18,000,000 against accident; and 14,000,000 against invalidism or old age. After all claims have been met, the government have on hand the enormous sum of \$100,000,000, which is applied in various ways for the good of the working man.

The plan followed is to collect from the workman 2 per cent. of his wages. This insures for at least six months illness during which he receives half pay. He contributes two-thirds of the insurance premium, and his employer one-third. If he dies, his widow and children are provided for, not liberally, but sufficiently. The insurance is compulsory upon all persons more than 16 years of age, who are regularly employed, and whose wages do not exceed a certain sum. As the employers must bear part of the cost of insurance against illness, and are liable in case of accident, German industrial establishments are both safe and sanitary.

As all Germans receive military training, it is not to be wondered at that working men have a good physique. This question of compulsory insurance is one that people in all countries will soon be compelled to consider. To provide during health for sickness, accident, and old age is the duty of all, but it is a duty that many will never voluntarily undertake. Whether for the good of the whole people the state is justified in forcing all to provide against such misfortunes is a question upon which the nations of the world are not agreed.

The two very sad accidents which have lately occurred should open the eyes of the authorities to the need of providing against possible danger. Already it has been shown that Belleville street between the causeway and the C. P. R. dock is not sufficiently guarded. Must we wait till some terrible tragedy has occurred in the most public and the most beautiful part of our city before any step will be taken to render the embankment safe? A few mornings since a lady rescued two very little children who were running down the embankment. If they had been allowed to continue to the bottom of the steep incline a mother might have been mourning the loss of her darling. Some one has reported that a drunken man has already fallen into the water at this place. He was rescued, but he might easily have been drowned. A frightened horse, an automobile beyond control, an unexpected push might send a person or a number of people rolling down the embankment and if death did not result it would not be because of any precaution taken. Let something be done at once. Lives are too precious

to be risked, and there is no need to invite sorrow.

The Toronto newspapers persist in the statement that boys and girls graduate from the schools of that city who are unable to compose an ordinary letter. They say that writing, spelling and construction are all bad.

Business men are sometimes severe judges, but it must be granted that the test of writing an ordinary letter well is one to which the schools should be made to submit. Much of what children learn at school is forgotten. Few men or women, depend upon their memories for dates or names. Books of reference are kept at hand, and the man who could, when he left school, tell the date of almost every event in English or Canadian history will verify almost every one before venturing to place it on paper. Few women could demonstrate a difficult proposition of Euclid ten years after leaving school unless they were teachers. But everyone needs to write letters. To be able to compose quickly and correctly as well as to write legibly and spell well is an essential part of the education of every boy and girl. Every teacher knows that it is hard to teach composition. It takes time, and in these days of crowded curricula there is little leisure in the classroom for the preparation and correction of compositions. Yet time should be found for a work so necessary.

In Ontario the films to be used in the cheap theatres at the picture shows are scrutinized, and any which are objectionable are removed. The theatres themselves are subject to inspection. The action of the Whitney government would seem to be a wise one. These theatres are attended by children. It is desirable that parents should accompany them, but unfortunately they often do not. That the managers shall be prevented from exhibiting pictures which should in any way do harm to the immature minds, but impressionable natures of the children is as it should be.

Miss Mills, art instructress of the city schools, is already beginning to prepare the exhibition for the teachers' convention to be held here next month, and if one is to judge by some sheets she has in her studio, it will be very good indeed. The children have been studying the trees and shrubs in the neighborhood of Victoria, and have painted the buds and blossoms and fruit in all stages of growth. The older students have formed original designs from these. These as well as more conventional figures show much skill and taste both in form and color. While studying the trees in order to paint them much information has been given, but after all, the most important work that has been done is to develop the children's love of nature and appreciation of beauty.

A number of teachers have become so in love with the work that they take lessons from Miss Mills on Saturday mornings, and after school hours. The older pupils, too, are not satisfied with the class instruction, and take advantage of the studio to pursue their studies. A number were busy at work yesterday morning painting from models or designing.

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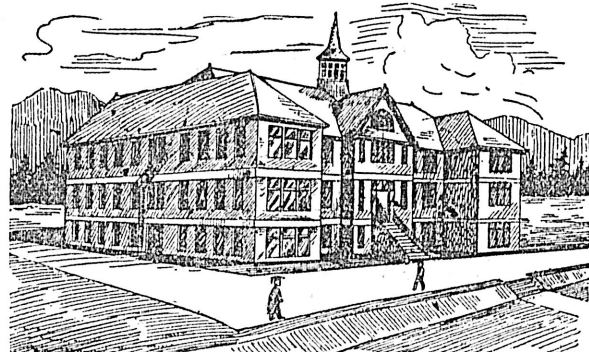
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(Signed) A. E. DELFRY.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1909.

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I, C. J. McDonald, hereby give notice that one month from date I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Mayne Island hotel, situated at Mayne, in the district of North Victoria.

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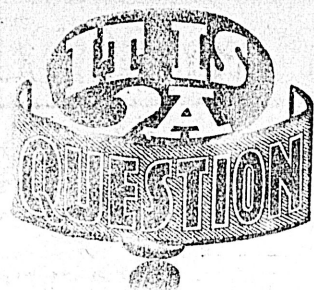
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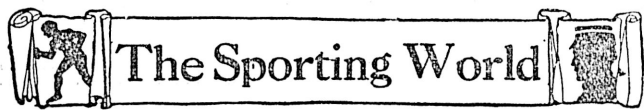
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Earl Grey Offers Trophy Emblematic of Amateur Rugby Championship

Ottawa, June 8.—His Excellency the Governor-General has decided to offer a perpetual challenge cup for competition in Rugby football, to be emblematic, if possible, of the amateur championship of the Dominion.

His Excellency names three trustees, namely: H. B. McGivern, M. P. of Ottawa; Rev. Bruce McDonald, of Toronto, and Percival Molson, of Montreal. Regarding the trustees, the Governor-General's wish is that they

shall control the contests for the cup, and that their decisions as to the cup and its custody shall be absolute. Should any trustee die or otherwise drop out, a successor shall be appointed by the Governor-General for the time being.

At the request of Lord Grey, the trustees have made suggestions regarding the disposal of the cup and contests for it, which His Excellency has approved as follows, with the reservation that the regulations must be considered as subject at any time to the will of the trustees, inasmuch as circumstances are always liable to arise which may render a departure from any or all rules desirable:

1. The club which holds the cup shall defend it on behalf of its own union against any challenge from any other amateur union or representative amateur club.  
2. Challenges shall be addressed to the trustees, and shall be given preference in order received, unless special circumstances intervene.  
3. The cup shall be open to challenge by only the leading or champion amateur clubs of any recognized union

or association, unless the trustees consider some special exception desirable.  
4. In any union or association in which the cup is held, the cup shall not be open to challenge by other clubs of the same union, inasmuch as each union has its own championship series; but at the end of the union's season, the possession of the cup, if still in that union, shall belong to the new champion club of the union without any special match, and that club shall have the defence of it.  
5. Holders of the cup may accept challenges upon whatever conditions of play they choose to agree with a challenging club, but if no such agreement is reached, the trustees will name the rules of play.  
6. If the clubs fail to agree on any condition or conditions, the trustees will proceed to umpire on the basis of the following clauses:

(a) A challenge for the cup may be decided by a single match or by the best two matches out of three, or by most points in two matches, as the competing clubs themselves may agree, or in default of agreement the trustees may decide.  
(b) Matches shall be played on the grounds of the holders of the cup, unless the trustees upon appeal from the challengers decide differently.  
(c) Gate receipts shall be equally divided after legitimate match expenses are paid, but no charge shall be made for the grounds of either

competing club. No travelling expenses allowed.

(d) Officials must be agreed on by competing clubs at least a week before date of match, otherwise the trustees may appoint them. The expenses, if any, shall be equally shared by the competing clubs.

7. A club receiving the cup shall give acknowledgment to the trustees stating that they hold it subject to the absolute decision of the trustees in all respects.

8. Each club winning the cup may engrave its name on an attached shield, with the date of championship.

## PROVIDENCE MUST HAVE BEEN SORE

New York, June 7.—Jack Johnson's title to the heavyweight championship of the world was the basic theme tonight in a sermon preached by Booker T. Washington to the Negro Men's Business League of New York. The fighter's name was not mentioned, however.

"In the last analysis," Dr. Washington told his hearers, "success is what counts. Success, despite race or color, makes the man on top respect you. What the world wants is success. Don't herald your gloom."

"You remember when a certain member of our race went to Australia to do a job, warnings were sounded that the color line would be drawn. The question was hurled at him: 'Aren't you afraid in that white man's country?'"

"Now suppose he had gone to Australia crestfallen, saying that he was a negro and much oppressed, would he have won? It was a God-send that he did win."

"The time has come when a negro must get a commercial, business and economic footing and get it in this generation or he is never getting it. Commerce, the dollar, draws no color line. The man who produces what somebody else wants gets the trade."

## RACING YACHTS ARRIVE AT BERMUDA

Two Minutes Separate Leaders After Long Race of Over 600 Miles

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 8.—So far as can be figured tonight, the schooner Margaret, owned by Geo. S. Runk, of New York, has won the sailing race from New York to Bermuda by about four and a half hours. Three of the yachts crossed the finish mark off St. David's Head this afternoon in one of the most remarkable contests that has ever taken place on the sea. Less than two minutes separated the schooners Amorita, owned by Dr. W. L. Baum, of Chicago, and the Margaret. The former was first over, but as the Margaret had an allowance of four hours and thirty minutes, and finished right on the Amorita's heels, the Margaret proved the winner on her allowance.

The schooner Crusader II, owned by Edwin Palmer, of the Atlantic Yacht Club, came over the line 38 minutes and 55 seconds after the Margaret. The start was made from Gravesend Bay at 10 a.m. Sunday and the finish times were as follows:

Amorita, 4:19:15.  
Margaret, 4:21:12.  
Crusader II, 5:20:07.

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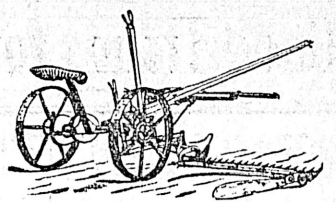
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Mr. Runk, owner of the Margaret, declared that the race was a marvelous one in every way. His boat never parted a string, and was in touch with the Amorita from start to finish. He did not see the Crusader after the start, until within two hours of the finish.

The Margaret kept a direct course, south-east by south, and fetched the mark boat with but slight variation. The days runs were in miles as follows: 157, 257, 197, 59.

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Detroit wants the 1910 seat tourney. It is expected that 154 prizes, aggregating \$10,000, will be distributed at this year's great card tourney in Milwaukee, June 19 to 21.

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## LIVE TURF NEWS

## FAVORITES COME INTO OWN

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## TWO TRACK RECORDS ARE BADLY SMASHED

Today Is Drummers' Day at Willows Course and Plans Are Big

(By J. B. Woodside.)

Two track records were broken, the books took a beating when four favorites romped home ahead of their fields, and the public enjoyed the classiest racing card that has yet been dished up by the programme committee of the Victoria Country Club.

These were the main features of yesterday's sport at the Willows, and today the course is being put in readiness for the reception of the commercial men, who are to visit the races as guests of the club. Every detail is being arranged to give the drummers a state of mind under the most desirable conditions could be desired, not the fact that on the third day of the meeting four public choices rewarded their backers, and in the other two races there was nothing to choose between the horses entered.

Lewiston, Firm Foot, Illusion and Goldway were the ones that carried the short prices and their victories were as clear cut and demonstrative of perfect condition and form as could be desired. Merrill and Ed. Ball were the only cheaply rated winners, but why they were rated at long odds is a puzzle when their splendid races are taken into consideration.

Starter Weber began with the first race to keep up his brilliant record of "commencing" and got the babies away as closely bunched as a covey of quail. Lewiston ran out of the path in his eagerness to get under wire first, but was well handled by Jockey Matthews and pulled away an easy winner.

Maternus contested the issue until the head of the stretch was reached, but tired by jumps, and fell back to third, letting the rail runner Otranto have the second place.

Firm Foot came true to the predictions of his backers in the second, and although he needed a little driving to get under way on the final quarter, decided to put forth his best foot and at the end left a space between himself and Marwood wide enough to drive a wagon through. La Taranta was third.

Illusion seemed to want to throw away her own chances in the third, and in spite of the efforts of her rider zig-zagged over the course for a third of the journey, and then just to show that she was only fooling turned up at the last minute to scare Jim Mallady out of his place two lengths in front. Adelaide R. had no difficulty in taking the third honors from the rest of the bunch. Aunt Polly, the grand old lady of the turf, failed to show anything unusual, but her performance would indicate that she still has a good race or two left in her.

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Fourth race—Selling, one mile, for three-year-olds and upward. Ed. Ball, first; Captain Burnett, second; Margaret Randolph, third. Time 1:43.

Fifth race—Selling, one and one-eighth miles, for three-year-olds and upward. Livius, first; Santee, second; Livius, third. Time 1:57 4-5.

Sixth race—Selling, five furlongs, for three-year-olds and upward. Merrill, first; F. E. Shaw, second; Serviceence, third. Time 1:03 1-5.

For C. A. A. U. Meet.

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## THE COLONIST FORM CHART

VICTORIA, B. C., Tuesday, June 8, 1909.—Third day. Weather clear. Track fast. J. B. D. Skidner, Presiding Judge. Joseph Weber Starter.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
4443 Lewiston	110	9	..	..	4 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	Matthews	3-2	2-2
4443 Otranto	113	5	..	..	3 1/2	2 1/2	2 3/4	Anderson	6	5
4439 Maternus	113	3	..	..	3 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	W. Powers	15	5
4443 Alarms	113	3	..	..	5 1/2	2 1/2	4 1/4	D. L. Riley	4	4
4465 Miss Plenie	110	1	..	..	2 1/2	4 1/2	5 1/2	Alkie	4	4
4433 Risky	110	8	..	..	6 3/4	4 1/2	6 1/2	Quay	30	50
4432 Two Oaks	113	7	..	..	4 1/2	8 1/2	1 1/2	Latwiche	30	50
4433 Ruby Ring	112	10	..	..	10	1 1/2	8 1/2	Hobart	30	30
4036 Terrago	110	4	..	..	7 3/4	9 1/2	9 3/4	C. Wright	20	30
4036 Earlene	110	6	..	..	8 3/4	10	10	Whitesides	20	15

At post 4 minutes. Off at 2:34. Time—25: 150 4-5. Lewiston place 1-2, out show. Otranto place 2, show 1. Maternus show 3. Winner b. g. Galveston—Libertina. Trained by L. Mulenhey. Start good. Won easily. Second and third the same.

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4446 Firm Foot	110	1	..	..	3 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	Hulcoat	2	2
4443 Marwood	110	2	..	..	2 1/2	3 1/2	2 1/2	Smith	9-6	6
4437 La Taranta	110	3	..	..	2 1/2	3 1/2	2 1/2	Powell	6	6
4434 Giovanni Balero	110	6	..	..	1 1/2	2 1/2	4 1/4	Coles	15	8
3226 Sir Angus	110	5	..	..	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Hardwick	15	15
3226 Sear Marwood	110	8	..	..	4 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	W. Kelly	15	15
4299 Prince Bratus	110	8	..	..	4 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	McLaughlin	5	6
3312 Ten Row	110	7	..	..	8	8	8	McBride	20	30

At post 1 minute. Off at 3:04. Time—24: 49 4-5; 1:16 3-5; 1:23 3-5. Foot place 1, show 1-2. Marwood place 4-5, show 2-5. Taranta show 6-5. Winner b. g. Geo. F. Smith—Andrea. Trained by H. Ware. Start good. Won easily. Second and third the same.

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1589 Illusion	127	2	..	..	5 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	W. McIntyre	6-2	8-5
3277 Jim Mallady	121	7	..	..	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Gargantua	15	20
3279 Adelaide R.	115	3	..	..	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	W. Kelly	15	20
4424 Saracene	123	6	..	..	4 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Lester	3	3
4434 Be Brier	116	3	..	..	7	7	6 1/2	D. Riley	15	20
3173 Aunt Polly	127	4	..	..	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	W. Kelly	3-2	3-2
1533 Badi	129	1	..	..	8 1/2	6 1/2	7	J. King	8	10

At post 1 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:34 1/2. Time—24: 1-5; 50 4-5; 1:03 3-5. Illusion place 1-2, show 1-3. Mallady place 3-5, show 2-5. Adelaide show 4. Winner b. g. Geo. F. Smith—Andrea. Trained by H. Ware. Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.

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4445 Livius	117	3	..	..	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Brooks	15	15
4436 M. Randolph	102	2	..	..	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Quay	6-6	6
4432 Gargantua	114	4	..	..	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	W. McIntyre	5-5	3-2
3567 Serviceence	109	5	..	..	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	J. J. Carroll	10	20

At post 1 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:57 1/2. Time—25: 3-5; 50 1-5; 1:16 3-5; 1:43. Ball place 4-5, show 1-3. Burnett place 1, show 2-5. Randolph show 3-5. Winner b. g. Goldfinch—Walt Away. Trained by J. Schill. Start good. Won easily. Second and third easily.

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3568 Curriculum	129	4	..	..	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	W. Powers	2	3
4374 Columbia Maid	125	6	..	..	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	W. McIntyre	5	5
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Expert Hands Chalk Artists Lemon by Giving Public Six Straight Winners

## MORE TO BE FOUND IN COLUMN TODAY

Victoria Handicap for Stake Horses Will Be Feature of Excellent Programme

(By J. B. Woodside.)

Ye gods and little pollywogs, but didn't I slip the bookies a prize package yesterday. Picked every winner in the six races, named twelve horses out of a possible eighteen in the money, and gave you a best bet and a parlay that proved to be as safe an investment as government bonds.

With the exception of one instance of more than ten years ago when the New York Telegraph picked the entire card of a day's races at Belmont Park, this handicapping record stands unequalled. To show that this statement goes without a qualifier, I will mention the incident to show you that what you get in this column is all to the Bradstreet.

But conscientious work is not always so liberally rewarded so today may not be as good, but the card looks easy to beat, and those who listen closely to what I have to say may add another five or ten spot to the little bit gathered yesterday.

For the first event they have dealt us a nice bunch of babies which should scamper over their four and one-half furlongs as near to calculations as can be expected. The Monday races got everything but encouragement from their riders. Caesarliss from the Wheatcroft stables will be close up and, if he is still as good as he was in Los Angeles, J. H. Barr should be an easy third.

Second a Puzzle  
The best way to find them in the second is to shake them up in a hat. Colons Baston is the class of the aggregation, and the rail birds are looking to him for salvation. Nobody knows the number of the rest, but Rene W. and Ed. Davis, both like the distance, and are in good condition so put them down in the order named.

The third is made to order for Ed. Ball, and he should be there or thereabouts when it is over on the strength of his last out. The distance suits him to an eyelash, and Saturday's gallop was all he needed to get into shape for a peep at the winner's side of the wire. Metlakatla and Alchibades should share the next honors.

The fourth, the Victoria handicap, the feature of the week, is the best race of the entire card. Barney Oldfield was meant in the opening, and had it not been for some domestic troubles, would have demonstrated that he is ready to repeat his south-ern performance. He figures pounds the best of the field. I haven't found out yet what made Albion H. perpetrate that trick on Saturday, but you have to hand it to the McAdams' mare for doing it. Rate her second. Fantastic is as fast and fancy as her name implies, and although she appeared last as a third, she should be as good as a third.

It is an open question whether Mattie Mack can turn the same trick as last time, but she beat the same field handsly last out. I expect Bye Dye H. and Miss Officious to give a good account of themselves, but bet that the fourth will be looking on at the finish seems safe enough.

The sixth at six furlongs for three-year-olds and upward will bring together a fast lot of selling players that ought to furnish excitement if nothing more. You never can tell, but if she keeps down her exuberant spirits until the barrier goes up she should have no trouble in holding her competitors well in hand. Titus H. and Maud McG. are both ready, and will be doing their best at every stage of the journey. Take them as you see them.

## KETCHEL HOPES TO DEFEAT NEGRO CHAMP

New York, June 7.—James J. Jeffries has declared that he will fight Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship, but from statements made in communications to his friends here today, the one-time maker of boilers would not be surprised if Stanley Ketchel knocked out the negro title-holder in his boat at Colma, Cal., next October.

The admirers of Ketchel believe the Michigan fighter will find some way to penetrate the peculiar and effective defense of Johnson, and make him quit with body blows. Ketchel himself says that he has been appearing in the Michigan middleweight will be given an opportunity to show whether he has gained in ring science when he meets Jack O'Brien Wednesday night in a six-round bout at Philadelphia.

O'Brien is a hard man to beat in a six-round go, and Ketchel will be lucky to get to the Philadelphia before the final goal. This interesting pair met once before, and in a ten-round bout Ketchel won. For seven rounds O'Brien had the Michigan fighter confused, but in the last three rounds Ketchel worked under O'Brien's guard and sent the Philadelphia man to the floor repeatedly.

## Famous Character of Turf Surrenders to the Inevitable

Chicago, June 8.—In the real estate column of a Chicago paper the other day, says Hugh E. Keough in the Tribune, was published the transfer of a piece of property from Edward Corrigan and his wife Winnifred to Thomas Carey for a consideration that cuts little figure in the story. Only that and nothing more.

They make very little of those things in large places unless they are personally interested. They look just once and then stop thinking. The transfer of a parcel of property from Edward Corrigan and his wife Winnifred to Thomas Carey means little to the person who is simply interested in real estate, but to those of us who hark back and are besotted the significance of that simple item was appealing, not to say appalling, and she started her owner on that line of breeding. His faith in the cross between Longfellow and War Dance was unshakable, and if he has saved anything from the wreck it has some of that strain in it.

It is too bad that Corrigan did not come himself to brag and bragging. If he had done so we would now be talking of him as the greatest American sportsman. But he wanted to own racehorses and control the conduct of the same.

To do that meant mixing up in rough politics, and his manners were rough. He is accused now of starting every thing that worked toward the harm of racing, and possibly the accusation is not misplaced. It is known what he did in Chicago, New York, San Francisco and New Orleans.

He loved fighting and his policy was to rule or fall with the works. He is gone now, but he would do it all over again if he had a chance.

## WOODSIDE'S SELECTIONS:

- First race—Durker Entry, Caesarliss, J. H. Barr.
- Second race—Colonel Bronston, Rene W. Ed. Davis.
- Third race—Paladin, Metlakatla, Alchibades.
- Fourth race—Barney Oldfield, Albion H. Fantastic.
- Fifth race—Mattie Mack, Bye Dye H. Miss Officious.
- Sixth race—Emma G. Titus H. Maud McG.
- One best bet—Barney Oldfield.
- One best parley—Durker Entry to win, Barney Oldfield to win, Colonel Bronston to win.

## SHORT, SNAPPY SPORT

The young Chinamen's athletic association are going into all kinds of sport. A baseball nine has already been organized.

The J.B.A.A. will organize a track team to take part in the big meet on June 26th. Track Commissioner Frank Baylis is working hard to get a good team together, and it is a safe bet that the J.B.A.A. will be well represented in all the sprints as well as the distance events.

The J.B.A.A. regatta has been postponed from June 19th to the 26th, owing to the Victoria sporting goods marathon. Many of the J.B.A.A. oarsmen are 10-mile hikers, and don't wish to overlook any psum pie.

The Victoria West athletic association are always to the front in all lines of amateur sport, and will be well represented in the 10-mile journey by Chas. Brown and Adam Corlie.

The Empress athletic club can well be proud of their ball team, as the hotel nine is doing good preliminary work.

Al. Jeffs, of the J.B.A.A., and Chas. Cohen, of the Y.M.C.A., will soon be matched to go the fifteen round pace. Joe Bailey and Billy Hill, of V.W.A.A., will probably go the marathon distance also. When these lads hook up they should make things lively.

Secretary Gray, of the J.B.A.A., is the busy kid these days, and will try to arrange a week end trip to Nanaimo or Ladysmith for that crack ball team of which we are so proud. Those J.B.A.A. birds do like to go abroad.

The North Ward junior lacrosse team is certainly a crack team; so far they have failed to lose a game.

Percy Wilson, one of the Victoria West athletes, leaves this morning for the sunny south. Wilson will play lacrosse this summer with the Olympic club team in San Francisco. Good luck go with you, Percy, for you are going from one good country to another.

Alex. Stevens is a father to the junior lacrosse team in Victoria West, and his untiring efforts are appreciated by the younger stick handlers.

## ANOTHER HIG TURKISH WRESTLER IS COMING

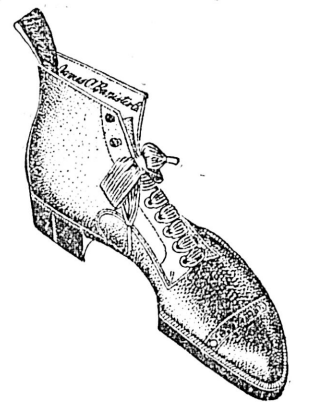


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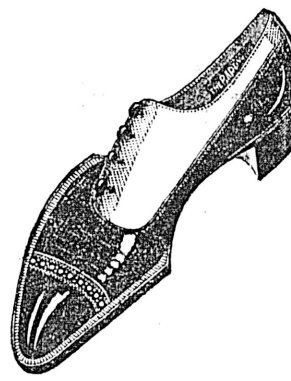


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### FORTY YEARS AGO

British Colonist, June 9, 1869: James Bay Bridge on Fire—Yesterday morning about 11 o'clock Mr. La Chapelle, whilst at work in his boat-house, observed smoke and flame rising from the floor of the bridge at a point some 90 feet distant from the northerly end of the structure. La Chapelle immediately ran to the spot and ascertained that the edge of two of the planks were on fire and burning briskly. By the prompt application of a few buckets of water he drowned the flames and saved the structure from destruction. In 1864 the old bridge that crossed James Bay took fire from a like cause and was saved, almost by a miracle, from destruction.

H. Shirley Blunt and John Henderson, Esqrs., will sail today on the Wilson G. Hunt for San Francisco, via Olympia and Portland. Mr. Blunt is well and favorably known for his long connection with the Bank of British Columbia as manager of the Cariboo branch; and Mr. Henderson has been Victoria agent of the Western Union Telegraph company from the first extension of the line to this place down to the present time. Both gentlemen leave many friends behind who deeply regret their departure.

The steamer Enterprise left for New Westminster yesterday morning, carrying 25 passengers and about 40 tons of freight. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Foster, of Clinton, Mrs. Thorne, Mrs. Nelson and Mr. G. J. Findlay were among the passengers.

The Victoria Whaling Adventurers' Company, at the meeting yesterday, decided to wind up.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. A. E. Garrett, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress.

Geo. L. Leighton, of Sheffield, England, is staying at the Empress.

Mrs. J. E. Griffiths is the guest of Mrs. Caffey.

H. D. Burns, of Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday on a brief visit.

Mr. J. Eckerly left yesterday for an extended visit to the Old Country.

Mrs. Brownlee from Montreal is staying in Victoria for a few weeks.

Mr. Robert Ball, from Seattle, is in town on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Burnham of Nainaimo, are in town.

Mr. W. H. Ireland of Summerland, B. C., is in town.

Charles A. Evans of Portage la Prairie, Man., is sightseeing in town.

Mrs. N. M. Spencer of Buffalo, N.Y., is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. E. M. McCannan Bodwell street, will not receive on Thursday or again until September.

Mrs. J. B. Browning, Vancouver, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Regan.

Miss Laura M. Elliott of Toronto and Miss L. Helen Yorke of Nanaimo, Ont., are holidaying here together.

Wm. Burnett of Alameda, Cal., was in town on Saturday in company with Mrs. E. Burnett of Goldstream.

Miss Florence Bradbury of Boston, Mass., is among the latest arrivals in town.

Miss Ellen E. Goodeve of Guelph, Ont., is doing the sights of Victoria at present.

A party from Philadelphia includes Mrs. H. D. Johnson and Mrs. J. A. Goodnow.

Mr. J. Merrifield of Tacoma, Wash., is visiting in town and renewing old friendships.

Miss K. Stewart and Mrs. A. Roberts of Vancouver, were the week-end guests of friends in town.

Miss M. G. Robinson of Savonnas, is listed among our visitors from the interior of the province.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gault, from San Francisco are spending a short time in Victoria and neighborhood.

Mrs. Andrew Blyth, from Vancouver, arrived in town Monday and is staying at the Empress.

Mr. Arthur Cauldegard, from Ottawa, is the guest of friends in town for a few days.

Mr. Henry Colgarth, from Vancouver, spent Monday in town, returning to the Terminal City.

Mr. John Linton left town Monday by the C. P. R. on a three months' visit to England.

On Monday evening Mrs. A. W. Jones entertained a party of friends at dinner.

Miss Margaret E. Carpenter of Orville, Cal., and Miss A. Merick of Sacramento are visiting the city.

Mrs. W. Abbott is the guest of Mrs. Calderwood at her pretty home at Foul Bay.

Mrs. J. McLorie, Frederick street, will not receive on Wednesday, nor again this summer.

J. D. Prentice went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer on a short business trip.

Mrs. Calder left last night via the Charmer on a visit to friends in Vancouver.

Mr. J. Henderson came over from Vancouver yesterday and is staying at the Empress.

The Hon. Chief Justice Hunter who is ill at his residence on Belleville street was slightly better last night.

Mr. H. J. McAllister arrived yesterday from Vancouver, and registered at the Empress.

Rev. J. W. Flint, of Saanichton, is in town and staying at the Balmoral.

E. J. Palmer, manager of the Chemainus Lumber Mill, is in the city on a brief visit. He is registered at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Davis, wife of Fire Chief Davis, accompanied by her family, will arrive in the city on Saturday from their former home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Price accompanied by Mrs. A. Booth, left yesterday afternoon via the Northern Pacific for Portland, Ore.

A. Nebben, left last night via the C.P.R., and the Empress of Britain on his return to England after several months spent in this province.

J. C. Pendray, of the B.C. Soap Works, Limited, left last night on the Charmer on a short business trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. P. F. Johnston, of 1321 Johnson street, will receive today, Wednesday, and will not be receiving again until October.

H. P. Heming, of Vancouver, is a visitor to the city, a guest at the Empress hotel. Mr. Heming and family have been staying at Shawnigan lake.

Mrs. Frank Powers, Miss Stella Powers, Miss Fanning and Miss Rosa Fanning of San Francisco are guests at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Grey of Vancouver, arrived in town on Saturday and intend spending several days here to witness the racing.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Wise came

down from Saanich yesterday and were present at the races in the afternoon.

Mrs. G. V. Lawry of Esquimalt road, has returned from a month at the beach and will be at home this Wednesday.

Mrs. H. D. Helmcken and Mrs. J. A. street will not receive today but instead on the 3rd Wednesday of this month.

Mrs. McDuncan and her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Firebrace and little son, are among the many Vancouver visitors to the Capital at present in town.

The many friends of Miss Lillian Mansell will be pleased to hear that she has recovered from her operation in St. Joseph's hospital and is able to be at home.

Judge Calder of Ashcroft, who has been confined to the Jubilee hospital for some time past is recovering from an illness. He will leave for Ashcroft within a short time.

Mr. and Miss Wickenham from Toronto, are new arrivals in town. They intend to remain here for the summer months making several excursions to Cowichan and the Islands.

Mr. Harold Swainsworth from Oxford, England, who is touring Canada is at present in town but is leaving shortly for a few days' fishing at Cowichan.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Yarder from Boston, Mass., are enjoying a few days' visit with friends in town. They will shortly go to Seattle to visit the A.-Y.-P. exposition.

W. Bell Dawson, who has charge of the tides and currents survey of the marine department of the Dominion government, has arrived in the city in connection with the business of his department.

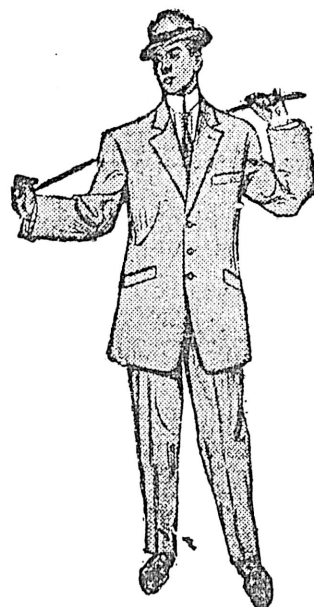
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Trant, of Brandon, Man., who have been making an extended tour of the coast and who have been staying in the city for the past week left last night en route to their home in the east.

Mrs. Marlesford and her niece, Miss Mary Potter, from London, England, who have been spending the last few days in Seattle, arrived in town Monday and after spending a few days here will leave for Montreal en route to their home in the Old Country.

Mrs. Simpson is giving another "Flannel" dance on Friday, June 11, at the A. O. U. W. Hall the one given a fortnight ago having proved so successful. Miss Thain's orchestra will be in attendance and all pupils and their friends are cordially invited, no formal invitations having been issued.

Mrs. J. B. McCallum, "Braeside," 1366 Pandora avenue, will be at home at her friends on Friday, June 11, as a farewell to her mother, Mrs. Yeager, who will be leaving for her home at Hamilton, Ont., about June 24th. Mr. McCallum will not receive again until October.

On Tuesday afternoon the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball, of Rocky Point was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their youngest daughter, Eva Sophia was united in matrimony to Albert Rhode, youngest son of the late Joseph Rhode of Happy Valley. At 2:30 o'clock, the bride leaning on the arm of her father, proceeded to the drawing room which was beautifully decorated with ferns and snowballs. In the centre hung a bell of snowballs under which stood the bride, who looked charming, dressed in a cream crepe de chine princess gown, beautifully trimmed with Brussels lace and satin ribbon. The groom was supported by the bride's brother, George. The beautiful and numerous gifts the young couple received show in what esteem they are held by their many friends. After the ceremony the bridal party and guests, numbering about 50, sat down to a sumptuous repast. The happy couple left for Victoria from whence they will take the morning boat for San Francisco where their honeymoon will be spent. On their return they will take up their residence at 335 Hillside avenue.

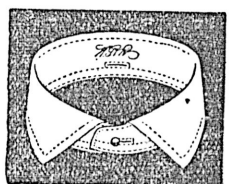


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Washington, June 8.—Spring wheat condition average 95.2 per cent; winter wheat 80.7. Average sown to spring wheat, 18,391,000. Rye, condition 88.6; oats 88.7 and barley 90.6. This, summarized, was the report of the department of agriculture on crop conditions on June 1, issued today. The spring wheat condition is compared with 95 per cent a year ago and a ten-year average of 92.5. Winter wheat average is against 83.6 a month ago, 86 a year ago and a ten-year average of 80.5.



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## TALK OF NAVY AT CONFERENCE

Ministers and Ex-Ministers  
Address Press Delegates  
in London

London June 8.—The second meeting of the Imperial Press Conference was held here today under the presidency of Reginald McKenna, First Lord of the Admiralty. Foreign Secretary Grey also was present and both ministers spoke on the navy.

"If the navy fails," declared the Foreign Secretary, "it will be useless to discuss any other subject."

He called attention to the serious step taken by Lord Rosebery in his recent speech to the newspaper men and said he endorsed every word of his address. Continuing Sir Edward summed up the policy of the Foreign office as follows:

"To keep what we have got, to consolidate and develop and to quarrel as little as possible with other people and to uphold in the councils of the world the ideals of Great Britain. With so much at stake the maintenance of the navy must be the first consideration, not only for the home government, but for all the self-governing dominions of the Empire."

He deprecated the idea that the foreign office was more prone to compromise where the interests of the self-governing colonies were concerned than in cases where they were not directly affected. Rather the opposite was the case. (Applause.)

In conclusion the Foreign Secretary said that the present excessive expenditures for armaments made the political weather "sultry."

Mr. McKenna also spoke in a serious tone. He said he foresaw the possibility of the Empire being called upon to unite its whole strength in the common defence of the home country. He declared he would assist the development of the local navies of the overseas dominions in every way in his power as the maintenance of supremacy on any sea meant the maintenance of supremacy on all seas.

Mr. McKenna anticipated that, as a result of the conference, ideas would be cleared and a way be opened. He dealt exclusively with naval supremacy and admitted the diversity of local navy problems. To Britain naval defence covered the whole globe. "We cannot," he said, "force our strategic ideas upon you. We should fail if we attempted it. If you come to ask us we shall be ready to answer you, but we should not necessarily expect you to accept that answer. It is only by working out your problems yourselves that you can gain the experience we have."

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Concluding, Mr. McKenna appealed to the press to maintain navy above party dissensions.

Mr. Ward, of Sydney, N.S.W., vigorously urged overseas assistance to the Imperial navy.

Mr. Gwynne, of the London Standard, deprecated any happy-go-lucky naval policy and advocated an Imperial admiralty.

Mr. Park, of the Cape Town Times, anticipated that when the union of South Africa was completed that country would do more for the navy.

Hon. Alfred Lyttelton deprecated annual contributions to the Imperial navy. He reiterated that Great Britain would spend her last shilling in the construction of Dreadnoughts in defence of the Empire, but times and circumstances had changed since Trafalgar. The time might come for overseas assistance in some tremendous struggle in the future, and the Empire might depend upon its unity and its consolidation for defence. He thought monetary contributions should take the form of cost of warships and the contributors' ideal should be ultimately to man them with natives so that they should form a nucleus for naval aspirations.

The discussion was adjourned.

The following resolution was placed on the agenda: "That it is the duty of the press to do everything in its power to co-operate with the naval and military authorities in organizing the defence of the Empire, and to take all possible precautions to avoid injury to public interest in publishing news in time of war; and that it is desirable that the press of Great Britain and the colonies should act in concert in the wise direction of emigration."

### Social Side of Conference

London, June 8.—One of the most interesting features of the press gathering is the series of private dinners to meet eminent Englishmen. Last night Lord Derby, as the son of a Canadian ex-Governor, gave a banquet in honor of the bachelor delegates at Derby House.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain entertained a party to meet Sir Hugh Graham and Lady Graham, Lady St. Helier, entertained Mr. and Mrs. D. Hellen-court, of Quebec; Mr. Kennedy Jones of the Daily Mail entertained Mr. Macdonald of Toronto, and Mr. Nichols of Winnipeg, and son. The most interesting personal incident at yesterday's sitting of the conference was the long and cheerful when Mr. Austen Chamberlain, during his speech incidentally spoke of "My father," a tribute from Canadian journalists, by which I am told Chamberlain was much touched when it was related to him at Birmingham.

At noon yesterday the delegates proceeded to the House of Commons where the Speaker of the House, Mr. Lowther, presided at a luncheon of literary and journalistic members of the Lords and Commons including Lords Morley, Rosebery and Milner. The afternoon was occupied by the Prince and Princess of Wales' garden party at Marlborough House.

## THE HABITS OF BOA CONSTRUCTORS

Little Ones Leave the Nest As Soon As Hatched and Have No Mutual Love

The real home of the boa constructors is in the tropical countries. Mrs. Boa seeks a sandy place. When she has found it she coils herself into a great and almost flat corkscrew. Then by just two or three turns of her body she digs a shallow hole in the sand. This she does, she gently pushes waves of sand upon the eggs until they are covered from four to six inches deep. Then she settles herself upon the top and stays there for nineteen days. At the end of this time a lot of little snakes may be seen pushing their way out from the nest and away into the world, get their own living. They don't show a bit of affection for their mother or for each other, but glide away, probably never to be together again. Is it any wonder, when they act so just after being hatched out, that boa constructors never like anybody and never have anything to do with people if they can avoid it?

Each little snake measures from twelve to fourteen inches in length and is about as big around as a lead pencil. It is said that they eat nothing at all during the first six months of their lives or until they are old enough to catch and crush to death small animals

and swallow them whole. The boa constructor never bites—it has no poison fangs—but always kills by coiling about its victim and crushing it to death. Fully grown, the boa constructor is thirty to forty feet long and as big around as the large part of a man's leg.

### JACK LONDON'S ILLS

Noted Novelist Says He Suffers From Five Different Diseases—Doctors Are Puzzled

New York, June 8.—A Honolulu despatch to the Tribune says that Jack London, the novelist, in a letter to Dr. E. S. Goodhue of Honolulu, writes in a gloomy way of his physical condition.

He mentions five different diseases from which he has suffered and tells of being relieved of two of them by operations in Sydney, but he still has malarial fever, while a nervous trouble has wrecked his strength and prevented him from doing any work. London says that the doctors understand none of his nervous diseases, and one of the ablest Australian specialists confesses he does not understand.

London hoped when the operation was performed he would recover his nervous equilibrium, but says that mysterious malady, when the attack comes, makes him helpless. He expects to sell the Shark and come home at once.

## POLITICAL ROW SETTLED BY BLADE

Lisbon, June 8.—Doméngo Centeno and Count Arsenio, a former minister fought a fierce duel with words early today in a local park. The cause of the dispute was political. Centeno is a friend of Dr. Jose Albern, chief of the Progressive Democrats. Centeno finally ran his sword through his opponent's thigh and the encounter came to an end.

## CHARGED WITH TAKING BANK FUNDS

New Haven, Conn., June 8.—Charged with having taken funds of the bank Frederick H. Brigham, head bookkeeper of the Merchants National Bank, this city, was arrested early today and held in \$10,000 bonds for the United States Court. The amount named in the charge is \$5,000, but it is said the shortage will reach \$10,000. Brigham is about 47 years old and had been in the employ of the bank for eighteen years.

## MOTHER CHURCH OFFICERS

Board of Directors Elected—Mrs. Eddy Writes Letter to Her Students

Boston, June 8.—Yesterday the board of directors of the Mother Church of Christian Science elected Wm. F. McKenzie president; Stephen A. Chase, of Fall River, treasurer, and John V. Littlemore, of New York clerk.

The following letter was received from Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy addressed to the board of directors: "Beloved students: I thank you for your kind invitation to be present at the annual meeting of the Mother Church on June 7, 1909. I will attend the meeting but not in propria persona. Watch and pray that God direct your meetings and your lives and your leaders will then be sure that they are blessed in the results. Lovingly yours, Mary Baker G. Eddy."

## MONUMENT ON SPLIT ROCK

Memorial to Samuel de Champlain Will Probably Be Erected There

Burlington, Vt., June 8.—The monument to commemorate the discovery of Lake Champlain by Samuel de Champlain is now spoken of as likely to be erected on Split Rock Point, a few miles south of this city, on the New York side. Those who favor the Split Rock site point out the fact that the monument, if erected there, would be in full view of all craft traversing the lake north or south, and that a light placed at the top of the 150 foot shaft, which is planned, would be visible for more than fifty miles in both directions.

### Fatal Elevator Ride

New York, June 8.—Her first ride in an elevator ended fatally yesterday for Miss Lena Schoonmaker, aged 19 years, of Saugerties, N. Y., who came to this city with a party of a dozen girls on an excursion under the chaperonage of Mrs. Charles Hall, of Kingston, N. Y., a daughter of Judge Alton B. Parker. The accident occurred in the Flatiron building. Miss Schoonmaker fainted and fell as the elevator in which she was descending

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with Mrs. Hall and four companions stopped suddenly, and her head was crushed against the wall of the shaft as the car unexpectedly shot up again.

## TURFMEAN ARE RULED OFF RACE COURSE

Salt Lake City, June 8.—Presiding Judge Pomeroy, of the Utah Jockey club, announced a decision tonight ruling J. Wallace, trainer; Groom Nelson and Jack Hawk, blacksmith, off the track for life. This action followed the poor showing made by Rother Royal owned by W. T. Hastings, of Oakland, Cal., in the third race at the fair grounds today. Rother Royal was favorite in the betting and finished last in a field of eight. The discovery was made that the horse was wearing heavy shoes.

## MRS. TAFT STEPPED IN TO SAVE HIM

New York, June 8.—A Washington special to the Herald says: Through the intervention of Mrs. Taft, a Russian named Perovich, convicted of murder at Fairbanks, Alaska, and sentenced to die, has been saved from the gallows. Actuated by his wife's pleading that mercy be shown the condemned man, the president has commuted the sentence to life imprisonment, although it is said he was not inclined to interfere with the carrying out of the death penalty until Mrs. Taft intervened.

### Drew Weapon on Chinese

Vancouver, June 8.—A 17-year-old youth named Earl Reese on Saturday afternoon drew a revolver on a Chinaman in front of the Clarendon hotel

and yesterday was soundly lectured by Magistrate Williams. The boy was temporarily in charge of the cigar stand, and said something to the Chinaman, who retaliated by slapping him. Earl took the revolver out of the cigar case and went gunning. The police had been notified that the youth was armed and took the weapon from him.

**Fraser River Falls.**  
Yale, B. C., June 8.—The river has fallen twelve inches.

**Boy Killed.**  
Penetanguishene, Ont., June 8.—Albert Labonte, aged 15, was killed by the bursting of a fly wheel in the Beck company's mill yesterday.

**France's Naval Programme**  
Paris, June 8.—The naval programme approved by the cabinet involves an expenditure of \$60,000,000, covering a period of ten years. Six battleships of the Danton class, six of the Republic type and four armored cruisers of the Gambetta type were included in the estimates.

### Bill For Porto Rico

Washington, June 8.—The House of Representatives passed the Porto Rican bill without amendment. The bill provides that whenever the legislature shall fail to make the necessary appropriations for the ensuing fiscal year, those for the current year shall be considered as in force, and in one feature it also provides that hereafter all reports of an official character shall be made direct to an executive department of the government of the United States, to be designated by the president, and such department is authorized to take jurisdiction of all matters pertaining to the island possessions.

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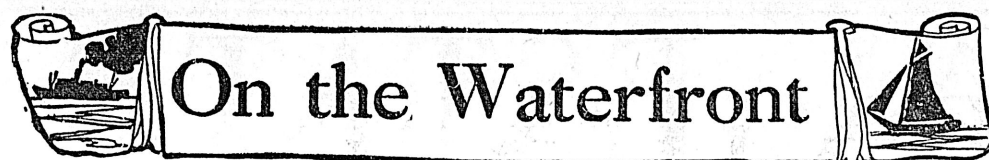
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## VICTORIA BREAKS RECORD

Clipped Twenty Seconds From Rival Liner's Time on Yesterday's Trip

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Run From Full Speed to Slow Bell Was Made in 3 Hours 14 Minutes 20 Seconds

Twenty seconds faster than the trip has ever been made between Victoria and Seattle the steamer Princess Victoria, Capt. Hickey, reached port soon after 12 o'clock yesterday from Seattle with a large complement of passengers, including a good quota bound to the races at the Willows. No picked coal, no extra firemen, aided in the record run; in fact the ship's officers were unaware that a record was being made until the thing was done. The best time heretofore was that of the new three funnel Princess Charlotte, which made the trip in April in 3 hours 14 minutes and 30 seconds, which was just one and a half minutes better than the record held by the steamer Princess Victoria since last summer. This new mark held good until yesterday morning, when the steamer Princess Victoria speeded along, and from four mile rock off Seattle harbor, which is the Daunt's rock of the interport voyage, to Brothie ledge, the local equivalent of Castnet light, the time was 3 hours 6 minutes 30 seconds. From full speed to slow bell the time was 3 hours, 14 minutes and 10 seconds. That the steamer Princess Victoria can do better still, and that this month, if the opportunity is afforded, will see much better time made both between Victoria and Seattle and Victoria and Vancouver is the confident opinion of all hands on board the fast three funnel liner, while on the Princess Charlotte, from captain to cook's mate, they are all as confident that their fleet steamer can best the older craft. Meanwhile, both steamers are the speediest that can be found in any interport trade in the waters of the Pacific.

WILL BE BUSY WEEK AT OUTER WHARF

Four Ocean Vessels Expected in Port—Empress Due Next Friday.

A large number of liners are expected to berth at the outer wharf during the present week. The steamer Ella of the Jensen line is due here today from San Francisco on her way from Panama and Corinto. Following her the steamer Ceylon Maru a freighter of the Nippon Yusen kaisha line should reach port from the Orient tomorrow. The Ceylon Maru is replacing the service of the Yokohama-London trade. The Empress of India should reach the outer wharf on Friday. She is bringing a valuable cargo and a full complement of passengers. The steamer Antiochus of the Blue Funnel line is due to arrive on Saturday.

Outward bound the Nippon Yusen

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.  
Cape Lazo, 8 a. m.—Clear, southwest wind; bar, 30.01, temp. 56; sea moderate. No shipping.  
Point Grey, 8 a. m.—Clear, southeast wind; bar, 30.01, temp. 56; sea moderate. No shipping.  
Tatoosh, 8 a. m.—Easterly breeze; bar, 30.23, temp. 54; sea smooth. Out, a schooner, 7:10 a. m., and steamer George W. Penwick, 6:10 a. m.  
Estevan, 8 a. m.—Clear, northwest wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 54; sea moderate. No shipping.  
Pachena, 8 a. m.—Clear, northwest wind; bar, 30.01, temp. 54; sea moderate. No shipping.  
Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, calm, northwest wind; bar, 29.95, temp. 45; sea smooth. No shipping.  
Point Grey, noon—Clear, northwest wind; bar, 29.91, temp. 54; sea smooth. No shipping.  
Tatoosh, noon—Clear, northwest wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 54; sea smooth. No shipping.  
Pachena, noon—Clear, calm, northwest wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 45; sea smooth. No shipping.  
Cape Lazo, 6 p. m.—Clear, calm; bar, 30.05, temp. 71. S. S. Camosun southbound, at 5 p. m.  
Point Grey, 6 p. m.—Clear, calm; bar, 29.97, temp. 66. Out, steamer Cassiar, at 3:55 p. m.  
Tatoosh, 6 p. m.—Clear, southwest wind, 14 miles; bar, 30.11, temp. 54. In, steamer Bucknam, at 12:40 p. m.  
Estevan, 6 p. m.—Clear, northwest wind; bar, 30.12, temp. 57; sea smooth. Patches of fog moving southeast. Two-masted sailing schooner southbound, at 3 p. m.  
Pachena, 6 p. m.—Clear, gentle west wind; bar, 30.05, temp. 59; sea smooth. Steamer Tees westbound, at 12:15.

kaisha liner sailed yesterday. The Canadian Australian liner Makura is due tomorrow from Vancouver to embark the local contingent of excursionists who are going to Seattle with the Commercial Travelers union.

## TO SHIP LUMBER VIA TEHUANTEPEC

Vancouver Man Tells of New Route Projected for Shipment of B. C. Timber

Matthew Macdougall, who has just returned to Vancouver from a business trip to the United Kingdom, states that while over there he opened up a new line of export for British Columbia lumber, for he concluded arrangements for the shipping of sawn lumber from this port to the United Kingdom. This lumber will be used for decking vessels, and will be sent via the Tehuantepec route to the firm of Alexander Macdougall & Co., Glasgow. This is a departure from the usual lumber shipments out of Vancouver, for the exports are in the form of big timbers shipped in sailing vessels. The experiment of shipping planking via Tehuantepec will be watched with interest, for the proximity of supplies in Russia and the Baltic timber countries have precluded British Columbia from attempting to compete with this class of lumber hitherto.

St. John, Newfoundland, June 8.—After their vessel, the barkentine Electra, had been crushed in the ice floes a hundred miles off the coast, the crew of nine men were forced to take to boats amid the menacing ice fields and have arrived here after more than fifty-five hours of an ordeal which nearly cost their lives. The Electra was bound from Oporto, Portugal, to St. John's with a cargo composed largely of wines. She left Oporto on March 24. When approaching the Newfoundland coast the barkentine encountered great ice fields and was so badly damaged that the crew had to abandon her.

## CANNERIES THAT WILL OPERATE

Seventy-three Ready to Handle This Year's Sockeye Run

In expectation of the big sockeye run which will start next month, 73 canneries will be in operation throughout British Columbia. The B. C. Packers Association will operate 22 of these. The next largest number to be controlled by any single concern will be the eight owned by the A. B. C. Packing Company.

A large number of shareholders in the B. C. Packers Association both in Victoria and the rest of Canada will be anxiously awaiting the result of this year's run. Among the list of back dividends which are due on preferred stocks are three years' dividends at the rate of 7 per cent on B. C. Packers' preferred. It is anticipated that the company's net earnings this year will be sufficient to pay off back dividends.

The full list of canneries in operation and the companies for which they will work follows: B. C. Packers Association, Fraser river, 15; Skeena river 2; Rivers Inlet 2; outside 3; total 22. A. B. C. Packing Company, Fraser 1; Skeena 1; Rivers Inlet 1; total 3. B. C. Canning Company, Fraser 1; Skeena 1; Rivers Inlet 1; outside 1; total 4. J. H. Todd and Sons, Fraser 1; Skeena 1; Rivers Inlet 1; outside 1; total 4. Dawson and Buttner, Fraser 1; Skeena 1; Rivers Inlet 1; outside 2; total 6. G. I. Wilson and Bala, Rivers Inlet 1; total 1. Malcolm Cannon & Co., Fraser 2; Skeena 1; total 3. St. Mungo Canning Co., Fraser 1; total 1. R. E. Gosse, Fraser 1; outside 1; total 2. Unique, etc. Windsor and DesBrisay, Fraser 2; total 2. Webster Bros., Vancouver; Fraser 1; total 1. Robert Ward Co. (Skeena Packing Co.) Skeena 1; total 1. Cassiar Packing Co.; Skeena 1; total 1. Kelley and Hickey, Smith Inlet; outside 1; total 1. Robert Drimay; outside 2; total 2. Wallace Bros. Packing Co.; Skeena 2; total 2. John Wallace; outside 1; total 1. W. Lord, on Naas; outside 1; total 1. Henry Doyle, on Naas; outside 1; total 1. Canadian Canning Co.; Fraser 3; total 3. Industrial Cannery, Fraser 1; total 1. D. Rowan, Eagle Harbor; Fraser 1; total 1. Quathlasi Cove; outside 1; total 1. Great West, Geo. Alexander; Fraser 1; total 1. Great Northern; Fraser 1; total 1. Claycoquet, Beekwith; outside 1; total 1. Alexander, Kelly, etc.; Skeena 1; total 1.

## FLOATING DOCK IS OFFERED SUBSIDY

Vancouver Man Proffered Government Assistance for Project at Mainland Port

There seems every indication that Mr. Nichol Thompson's scheme for a large drydock at Vancouver will become an accomplished fact shortly for the Dominion government has agreed to assist the project to a substantial extent and the next few months will see the commencement of the undertaking, says the Vancouver Province. The Vancouver Drydock & Shipbuilding Company, of which Mr. Thompson is president, has been working on the scheme for some time and the trip to Ottawa, from which Mr. Thompson has just returned, was taken with a view to ascertaining the attitude the Dominion was willing to take on the subject, and if there was any prospect of assistance. Mr. Thompson met with a most favorable reception and as a result Vancouver is to have a drydock capable of accommodating ocean-going vessels to

the extent of 10,000 tons. The site of the dock will be in the east end, but the precise location has not yet been made public.

The subsidy granted was three per cent on the total cost of the dock, for 20 years, and as the estimated cost of construction is one and a quarter millions, this means something over \$37,500 per annum.

The dock will be the first of its kind on the Pacific coast. It is to be a pontoon floating dock of steel, 500 feet long, and capable of accommodating vessels of 10,000 tons, such as the Blue Funnel liners.

On the terms of the subsidy the construction is to be finished within two years, and while much of the material will be brought from England, and the work is of a mammoth nature, the promoters are confident that the time limit will certainly not be exceeded. In fact they are confident that next autumn will see the drydock well on to completion.

## WHITE STAR LINE FOR THE PACIFIC

Comment in Montreal Regarding Report of Combined Service From Prince Rupert

That the strong steamship combination known as the White Star-Dominion Line, is quietly preparing for an invasion of the Pacific Ocean passenger and freight trade route, is the latest rumor in shipping circles, as briefly announced some days ago, says a Montreal paper. It is said that the combined companies will act with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, making Prince Rupert their eastern terminus. While the railway nor the Montreal steamship people concerned would say anything in confirmation of the story, yet it was admitted that shortly after the new transcontinental road will be in operation, some working alliance will be made with some steamship company on the Pacific. This will be an absolute necessity to enable the new company to cope successfully with the competition of the Canadian Pacific Railway for transcontinental business, the conveniences afforded by the handling of goods by the one company throughout a long journey

being very great. The Canadian Pacific Railway has a large fleet of vessels on both the Atlantic and the Pacific; and, therefore, it is acknowledged that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway must have a similar service. The present news concerning the White Star-Dominion line, on the Pacific, comes from a source said to be authoritative.

Some color is lent to the story by the persistent rumors which have arisen at the Quebec end of the line to the effect that the White Star line came to Canada with a view to forming an alliance on the Atlantic with the Grand Trunk Pacific. The big steamship combination is known to have already a more than sympathetic interest in the associate railway company, the Grand Trunk Railway, combination of these two companies, the White Star and the Dominion lines, with the Grand Trunk Pacific, would establish a wonderfully strong service from the Far East to the European markets.

Buoy Disappears.  
A report from the branch hydrographic office at Port Townsend, Wash., says: "Captain E. J. Spicer, master of the schooner Ariel, reports that while coming up Grays Harbor channel under his own canvas, he struck black can buoy No. 5, and knocked it away from its bearings. This buoy has disappeared, and has not been seen since."

The British ship, Wray Castle, which left Glasgow May 11th for Victoria and Vancouver, is bringing the biggest shipment of sewer pipe that has ever come to port in one consignment. There are 900 tons of this pipe included in her cargo of 3,000 tons. The vessel is under charter to C. Gardiner-Johnson and Robert Ward & Co.

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT,  
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City Hall, June 1st.

## LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

I, John Irving, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as Goldstream House, situated at Goldstream in the district of Esquimalt.

(Signed) JOHN IRVING.  
Dated this 19th May, 1909.

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT,  
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June 3rd, 1909.

## LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

I, Daniel Campbell, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Colwood Hotel, situated on the Goldstream Road in the district of Esquimalt.

(Signed) DANIEL CAMPBELL  
Dated this 20th day of May, 1909.

## LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

I, Mrs. M. Gouge, hereby gives notice that one month from date hereof, I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Four-Mile House, situated at Glidstream Road in the district of Esquimalt.

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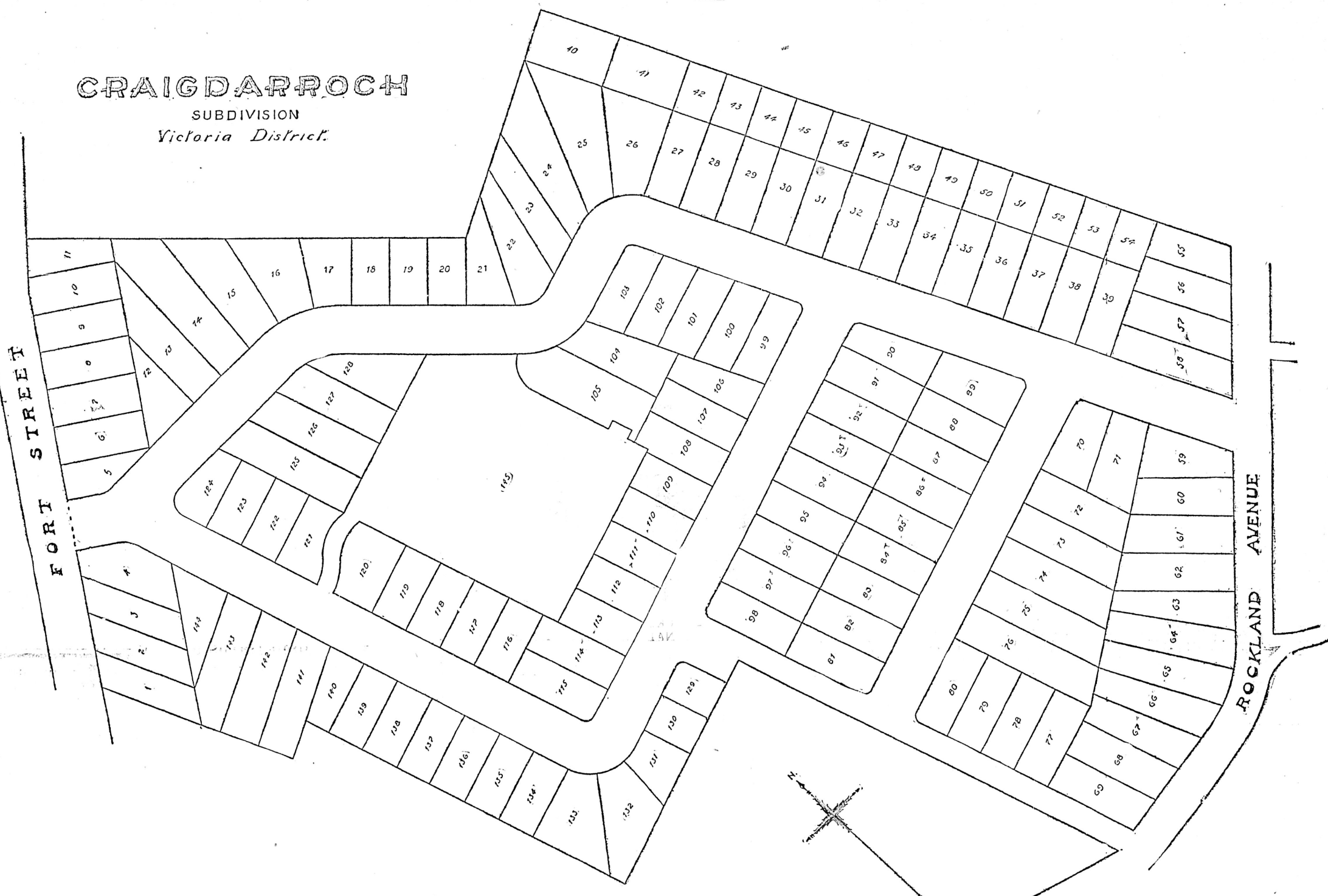
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## CRAIGDARROCH

SUBDIVISION  
*Victoria District.*



Those who are desirous of purchasing a portion of the

## Craigdarroch Subdivision

will please communicate with Griffith R. Hughes, 214 Government Street, before the property is placed upon the open market. Quite a number of intending purchasers have already expressed a wish to select special sites, and this announcement is made to avoid disappointment. Please keep this advertisement for future reference. If you wish to inspect the grounds you may do so by applying to the owner who will issue a card of admission. The property is still private and the public are warned to keep out . . . .



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MAN AND WIFE want nicely furnished suite or one large room with private bath, or kitchen and bath, or both; cottage; room and locality must be high class. Give price and all details or no attention paid. Apply 664, Colonist.

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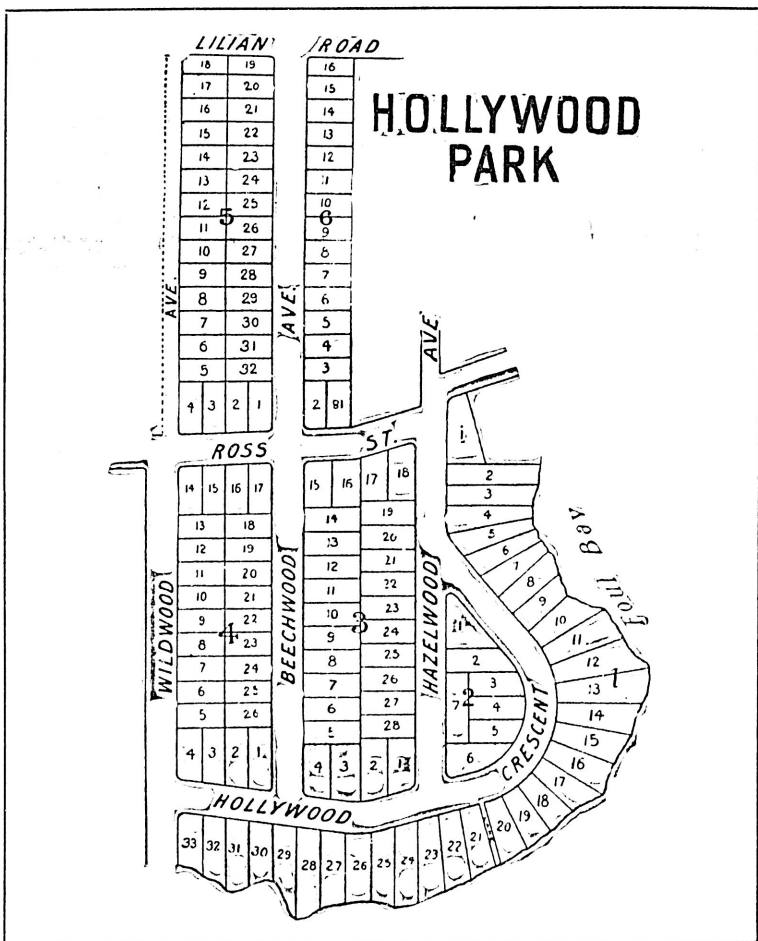
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Remember, you have your own Beach and your own Water Frontage, and the finest view in the world.

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Terms Quarter Cash, balance 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21 and 24 months

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Each  
Lots 3 to 7, inclusive.....\$1500  
Lots 9 to 11.....\$1400  
Lots 12 to 21.....\$1000

### BLOCK TWO

Each  
Lot 1.....\$800  
Lot 2.....\$750  
Balance.....\$650

### PRICES BLOCK THREE

Each  
Lot 15.....\$500  
Lot 16.....\$450  
Lots 6 to 13, inclusive.....\$500

Lot 5.....\$350  
Lot 4, Corner.....\$500  
Lot 3.....\$525  
Balance sold.

### PRICES BLOCK FOUR

Each  
Lot 14.....\$475  
Lot 17.....\$500  
Lot 4.....\$500  
Lot 3.....\$475  
Balance.....\$450

### PRICES BLOCK FIVE

Lots 11 to 18, inclusive.....\$350  
Lots 26 to 32, inclusive.....\$350  
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### BLOCK SIX ALL SOLD

City Water laid on the premises. Street Cars at your Door.  
At these prices and terms the humblest wage-earner in the City can afford to buy and hold for the advance.  
Come in and see us. We will be glad to show you.  
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The advent of warm weather and the consequent more rapid ripening of small fruits has resulted in larger receipts of local grown strawberries and also a reduction in price. The fruit is now offering at 30c per pound compared with 35c last week. The arrivals are now much larger than last week and the quality of the fruit is distinctly improved. It is predicted that by the end of the present week the price will still be further reduced. Evidently the reports of damage from frost have been more or less exaggerated and it is now clear that the damage will be as great as at first supposed, while in the matter of quality this year's product will, it is stated be fully up to that of previous years.

Oregon strawberries are retailing at 25c a pound but for quality are distinctly inferior to the local grown. On account of the larger demand and the admittedly smaller crop this year, those desirous of securing preserving berries should put in their orders at once.

Gooseberries also are arriving in larger quantities. The fruit is rather small as yet but both the size and quality are daily improving. Retail prices have eased off from 15c per pound to two pounds for 25c.

A decline has also taken place in butter which is now quoted at 35c per pound for all dairies, mainland and island. The better pastures are responsible for an enlarged output and the lower values. Eggs, too, are somewhat easier, though prices have not as yet changed, the strictly fresh island varieties selling at 35c per dozen and the eastern varieties at 30c.

There have been few changes in the vegetable list during the week. California cauliflower are still offering though in small number and the quality is poor. Lettuce is plentiful and retails at 5c per head while fresh mushrooms, grown here, are retailing at 50c per pound. In the other lines no price changes have been made. Local hot house tomatoes are arriving in larger quantities and the quality cannot be improved upon. The price is 30c per pound. Local rhubarb is also offering in large quantities and from the standpoint of quality is exceptional. Many of the stocks are from three to four feet in length. Prices are quoted at eight pounds for 25c.

Bi-weekly shipments of bananas afford the consumer a better supply and better quality of this fruit which is retailing at 35c per dozen and a shipment of Florida pineapples has also been received and sells at 35c each. Navel oranges are practically off the market and the next shipments will be of seedlings and Valencia. The fruit now offering is selling at from 35c to 50c per dozen.

In other lines of local produce there have been no changes. Flour remains unchanged from the recent figure established though the price of wheat continues exceptionally high. Feedstuffs are unchanged and in the west fish and poultry lines prices hold at last week's level. Local produce prices are as follows.

**Flour.**  
Royal Household, a bag.....\$2.00  
Lake of the Woods, a bag.....\$2.00  
Wild Rose, a bag.....\$2.00  
Canary, a bag.....\$2.00  
Hungarian, a bag.....\$2.00  
Snowflake, a bag.....\$1.85  
Snowflake, per bbl.....\$6.50  
Drifted Snow, per sack.....\$1.80  
Three Star, per sack.....\$2.00  
Moffet's Best, per bag.....\$1.55

**Foodstuffs.**  
Bran, per 100 lbs.....\$1.55  
Shorts, per 100 lbs.....\$1.55  
Middlings, per 100 lbs.....\$1.75  
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.....\$2.20  
Oats, per 100 lbs.....\$1.30  
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.....\$2.05  
Barley, per 100 lbs.....\$1.70  
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.....\$1.75  
Chop feed, per 100 lbs.....\$2.00  
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.....\$2.00  
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.....\$2.05  
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.....\$2.05  
Hay, Fraser River, per ton.....\$20.00

**Dairy Produce.**  
Eggs—  
Fresh Island, per dozen......35  
Eastern Eggs, per dozen......30  
Cheese—  
Canadian, per lb......20  
Neufchatel, each......10  
Cream, local, each......10  
Butter—  
Mantolite, per lb......25 to 30  
Best Dairy, per lb......35  
Victoria Creamery, per lb......35  
Cowhick Creamery, per lb......35  
Comox Creamery, per lb......35  
Chilwack Creamery, per lb......35  
Salt Spring Island Creamery, per lb......35

**Vegetables.**  
Red Cabbage, per lb......06  
Tomatoes, per lb......30  
Beans, Wax, per lb......25  
Beets, per lb......25  
Carrots, per lb......04  
Parsley, per bunch......05  
Mint, per bunch......05  
Cucumbers, each......05  
Radishes, per bunch......05  
Celery, per head......20  
Potatoes, per sack.....\$2.50 to \$5.00  
Potatoes, new, Cal., 4 lbs......20  
Cauliflower, each......20  
Cabbage, new, per lb......08  
Lettuce, a head......05  
Garlic, per lb......25  
Onions, 8 lbs, for......25  
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs......25  
Rhubarb, 6 lbs......25

**Fruit.**  
Lemons, per dozen......25  
Figs, cooking, per lb......08 to .10  
Apples, per box.....\$2.50  
Apples, Oregon, per box.....\$2.50  
Bananas, per dozen......35  
Figs, table, per lb......25  
Raisins, Valencia, per lb......25  
Raisins, table, per lb......25 to .50  
Pineapples, each......35 to .50  
Grapes, Malaga, per lb......10 to .12  
Strawberries, local, per box......25  
Strawberries, Ore., per box......25  
Cherries, Cal., per lb......25  
Gooseberries, local, per lb......12 to .15

**Nuts.**  
Walnuts, per lb......30  
Brazil, per lb......25  
Almonds, Jordan, per lb......75  
Almonds, Cal., per lb......25  
Cocoanuts, each......15  
Pecans, per lb......12 to .15  
Chestnuts, per lb......25

**Fish.**  
Cod, salted, per lb......10 to .13  
Halibut, fresh, per lb......08 to .10  
Halibut, smoked, per lb......15  
Cod, fresh, per lb......06 to .08  
Smoked Herring......12 to .15  
Crabs, 2 for......25  
Black Bass, per lb......06 to .08  
Oolichans, salt, per lb......12 to .15  
Black Cod, salt, per lb......12 to .15  
Flounders, fresh, per lb......08 to .10  
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb......08 to .10  
Salmon, fresh, red, per lb......10 to .12  
Salmon, smoked, per lb......20  
Shrimps, per lb......25 to .30  
Smelt, per lb......08 to .10  
Herring, kippered, per lb......12 to .15  
Finnan Haddock, per lb......20

**Meat and Poultry.**  
Beef, per lb......08 to .10  
Mutton, per lb......12 to .15  
Veal, dressed, per lb......15 to .18  
Geese, dressed, per lb......18 to .20  
Sausages, each......1.00  
Chickens, per lb......25 to .30  
Chickens, per lb, live weight......12 to .15  
Ducks, dressed, per lb......20 to .25  
Gans, per lb......18 to .20  
Hares, dressed, each......75  
Bacon, per lb......22 to .27  
Pork, dressed, per lb......12 to .15  
Rabbits, dressed, each......50 to .65

## BEAR FIGHTS FOR THREE HOURS

Big Washington Bruin Gives Hunters a Plucky Battle for Life

Spokane, Wash., June 8.—"Tom" Hopper returned to Spokane a few days ago with seven bears which he and the party killed in one week at Hayden Lake. Mr. Hopper reports one of the bears to be the biggest he has ever killed in Washington.

With "Jim" House, a farmer of Hayden, Hopper started after a big brown bear that had been killing sheep around the lake. The dogs started the bear from his bed, and a fight that lasted more than three hours was made before the big fellow was killed. One of the dogs belonging to Mr. Hopper was badly bitten and will be out of the game for some time. The bear had killed a cow the morning of the battle.

## Births, Marriages, Deaths

**DIED.**  
NICHOLSON—At St. Joseph's hospital, on the 7th inst. Anthony Penrose Nicholson, a native of Sunderland, England.  
Funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from the Victoria Undertaking parlors.  
No flowers by request of deceased.  
Friends please accept this intimation.  
New Zealand and English papers please copy.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late to Classify)  
FOR SALE—Rubber-tired buggy, harness and English riding saddle. L. Rye, P. O. Box 10. Phone R-2031. 18  
FOR SALE—Melotte steam turbine cream separator and boiler, all complete, in good condition. Apply Box 560, Colonist. 12  
TRUCKS AND DRAYS—Open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

SIX-ROOM HOUSE—The interior recently decorated; close to car and school; hot and cold water, bath, etc. A splendid buy for \$1700. An investment would yield at least 12 per cent. Apply to owner on premises, 778 Hill street. 14

TO LET—In my newly erected bungalow, suite of 2 or 3 rooms, nicely furnished, with or without full or partial board. Mrs. J. H. Franck, 1082 Davie St. Telephone R-1517. 19

TO LET—Well furnished rooms in desirable neighborhood; convenient to race track, with or without full or partial board. 552 Colonist. 19

FOR SALE—A light driving cart, phaeton, hayrack, set of double harness, set of single harness and bicycle. Would take good milk cow in trade. Apply 600 Gorge Road or phone B-169. 19

CARRIAGES AND HACKS—Careful drivers; prompt service; open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

WANTED—By July 1st, capable nurse to take charge of baby nine months old. Reference required. Apply evenings to Mrs. Alex Gillespie, Trutch Ave. 19

COTTAGE at the Seaside, seven rooms, well furnished throughout, good boating, bathing and fishing, to rent for 3 months from June 15, at Crofton, Vancouver Island. Apply Penberton & Son, Victoria. 19

EXPERIENCED NURSE going to England would attend invalid or take charge of infant, for fare, willing to stay with family during summer, traveled references. Box 597, Colonist. 19

WANTED—One acre land exchange for house and 3 lots in city. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates St. 19

FURNITURE TRUCKS—\$1.50 per hour. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

50 SHARES Silecia Brick exchange for lot in city. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates St. 19

FOR SALE—Sound 3-year-old filly, 1300 lbs., handled. H. J. Dunn, Maywood. 19

ENGLISHMAN just arrived, with knowledge of gardening and to make himself generally useful around gentleman's house, with best of references. 594, Colonist. 19

TO LET—6-roomed cottage on Fairfield estate, modern conveniences, nice grounds, one minute to car and beach; 100 per month; furniture in house for sale. Box 590, Colonist. 19

LIVERY STABLE—Best equipped service in the city. Good horses and buggies. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

TO LET—1426 Stadacona Ave. (top of Fort St.) well furnished modern residence containing 9 rooms; will lease. P. R. Brown, Ltd., 1130 Broad St. 19

TO RENT—Furnished and unfurnished houses. Call for list. E. A. Harris, 615 Fort St. 19

FOR SALE—Farms, Call and see our list. E. A. Harris, 615 Fort St. 19

METCHOSIN—For Sale—200 acres, water front, at \$12 per acre. Apply Box 587, Colonist. 19

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms, "Kendall," 1117 Yates St. 19

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my husband, J. C. Darling, Mrs. L. Darling, Caladonia Bakery. 19

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms, phone, etc. 902 Quadra St. 19

WANTED—Second-hand power circular wood frame complete for cutting cord wood; state price. J. Robinson, Beaumont P. O. 19

PARCEL DELIVERY—Parcels called for and delivered to any part of the city for 10c. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

BOYS' WANTED—At The Colonist Varnish Room. 19

ONE LARGE furnished housekeeping room and a large bedroom, suitable for a married couple or a gentleman; use of bath. 1120 Vancouver St., near Fort. 19

BAGGAGE—Best Equipment for Handling baggage to and from steamers in the city; open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12

WANTED—Good reliable "bookkeeper" with references. Strand hotel. 19

WANTED—All hens and chicks you don't want; cheap. 585, Colonist. 19  
WANTED—Small farm, partly improved, Metchoshin or Sooke Harbor, waterfront or fresh stream preferred; good soil not necessary; must be cheap; no agents. 584, Colonist. 19  
FOUND—On Superior St. A buggy rug. Finder can have same by paying expenses. Apply D. Garrile, Washington Ave. 19  
LOST—On Monday afternoon, alligator skin handbag with purse inside. Finder please leave at John's Grocery. 19  
SPORTSMAN'S RESIDENCE and Poultry Farm for sale, "Brookdale," Shawigan, one mile from Koonig's, on public road, 19 acres, 7-room house, barn with 3-stall stable, poultry houses, trout stream, game, etc. Apply to owner, E. Johnson, P. O. Box 343, Victoria. 19  
WANTED—Man to go to Valdez, Alaska, on important project; must have about five hundred dollars. Call J. P. Rudolph, Dillard Hotel, today. 19  
WANTED—3 or 4 furnished housekeeping rooms; state price and location. Address 601, Colonist. 19  
WANTED—Strong, active woman for plain cooking and general housework. Apply phone B-1557. 19  
LOST—White cow with dark spots on sides and two ropes around horns. Will be pleased to hear of any information of her whereabouts. Geo. W. Wilkinson, Esquimalt Dairy. 19  
WANTED—Partner in office; specialty work; must have \$500. Box 602, Colonist. 19  
GLASS FRONT CARRIAGES—Splendid for sight-seeing. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. 12  
STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper desires position; city references. Apply Box 603, Colonist. 19  
WANTED—Five ship carpenters. Apply to H. H. Allen, P. O. Box 132, Chemainus, B. C. 19  
WANTED—A waitress. Apply Victoria Hotel. 19

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
With sincere and heartfelt thanks for your kind sympathy and floral tribute you have shown to the late Annie Wilson on her bereavement.  
HULDA KOSCHIE,  
LOUIS WILSON.

**CIVIC NOTICE**  
The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to pave Cormorant street with "granitoid" from the west side of Government street to the east side of Store street, and that said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-law," and amendments thereto, the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, upon the said work of local improvement, giving statement showing the amounts chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited thereby, and their report having been adopted by the Council.

Notice is hereby given that the report herein referred to is open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against said proposed work of local improvement, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 9th, 1909.

**W. N. MITCHELL**  
Over Northern Bank

**FORCED TO SELL—**  
**LESS THAN COST—TWO YEARS AGO**  
Two lots ten minutes walk from Postoffice at Vancouver St.; \$1,100 cash only. Also, 1 lot corner of Linden Ave. and May St., frontage 65 feet, \$795.

**W. N. MITCHELL**

**Stocks for Sale**  
Subject to Prior Sale or Withdrawal

1000 American-Canadian Oil.....11  
5000 B. C. Amal. Coal......05  
1000 International Coal......70  
1000 Royal Collieries......30 1/2  
10 Northern Crown Bank......93  
2000 Portland Canal......67  
10 Nicola Valley......67.00

**WAGHORN, GYNN & COMPANY**  
Stockbrokers, Vancouver.

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM HENRY ADAMS, DECEASED.**

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act" that all creditors of the estate of the deceased are required on or before the 31st day of July, A. D. 1909, to send particulars of their claims duly verified to the undersigned solicitors for Stroud L. Redgrave and John W. Switzer, executors of the said estate, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1909.

ELLIOTT & SHANDLEY,  
Law Chambers, Victoria, B. C.

**NOTICE**  
Gorge Road Bridge, between Manchester street and Washington avenue is closed to vehicle traffic from Wednesday, June 9th until further notice.

C. H. TOPP,  
City Engineer.

**Duncan's Warehouse**  
Merchandise of All Kinds Stored and Distributed.

Negotiable warehouse receipts issued. Furniture and household goods carefully handled. Stone building and low insurance.

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**NOTICE**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the provisions of The Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, Chapter 115, Sec. 7, and Chapter 143, Sec. 34, the undersigned will, at the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof apply to the Governor in Council for the approval of the area plans and site of certain proposed works to be constructed at Thetis Cove Esquimalt Harbor, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, upon the following described foreshore and submerged lands: Commencing at high water mark at the northwesterly corner of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway station, thence south fifty-four degrees west (S. 54° W.) a distance of four hundred and seventy-three feet (473') more or less, along boundary of foreshore applied for by the B. E. Graham Lumber company (the plans of which are filed) to the shore of Richards Island, thence south nineteen degrees and thirteen minutes west (S. 19° 13' W.) a distance of one hundred and fifty feet (150') along boundary of foreshore applied for by the B. E. Graham Lumber company, thence south eighty-three degrees and eighty-five minutes (S. 83° 45' E.) a distance of four hundred and eighty feet (480') more or less to high water mark, and thence following high water mark to point of commencement, the whole containing 2.85 (three and eighty-five hundredths) acres and shown colored red on plan made by T. S. Gore, P. L. S., under date May 7th, 1909.

The said works consist of the construction of a boom ground for logs within the area above described, and the erection of a sawmill upon the foreshore and extending into the water, and a plan of the same proposed works and a description of the proposed site has been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and duplicates thereof in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C.

PERCY DAVID HILLIS,  
Dated May 22, 1909, Victoria, B. C.





## Another Lot of Ladies' Smart Tailored Costumes Go On Sale To-day

Emphatic Reductions Are These. Regular Values \$37.50 for - - - - - **\$25.00**

To-day we are placing on sale another splendid assortment of Ladies' High-Grade Tailored Costumes, and it will pay all those wishing to purchase a decidedly stylish suit to be here early Wednesday morning. These are all the season's very latest styles, in the most exquisite mixtures that can be had, including Checks, French Panamas and Stripe Effects in every conceivable color and shade designed by artists of the leading fashion centres. The linings are of the very best of silk, while the finish is all that could be desired. The three following descriptions will give you some idea of what they are like, but it is the out-of-the ordinary styles that will delight you.

**WOMEN'S COSTUME**, of very fine quality, imported striped worsted, in light grey. The coat is cut in semi-fitting style and is neatly trimmed with buttons and silk braid, has cutaway front and is lined with silk. Skirt is ten gore, circular flare, with jumper attached. Price Wednesday..... **\$25.00**

**WOMEN'S COSTUMES**, in extra fine quality corded serge, in canard blue, one of this season's most popular shades. Coat very neat design, in semi-fitting style, with just a touch of black satin and button trimmings, has cutaway front and lined throughout with silk. Skirt is nine gore, circular flare style and trimmed with buttons on the front gore, which is panel effect. Special Wednesday..... **\$25.00**

**LADIES' THREE-PIECE COSTUME**, in black and white check. Coat pointed effect, 38 inches long, semi-fitting, seams piped with black satin. Flat collar and outside pockets inlaid with satin, lined throughout with silk. Skirt circular cut, with jumper attached, strapped with satin, and button trimmed to match the coat. Regular values up to \$37.50. Wednesday for..... **\$25.00**

### Stylish Shoes for Men



The famous "Quite Right" Shoes for Men come in a profusion of shapes and materials. The always popular and serviceable black velour calf, vici kid, the dressy patent leather, and the most fashionable shades and styles in tan and ox-blood are all shown in great variety. You should not fail to see our display before purchasing your new shoes. Call and see for yourself. There is not the slightest obligation to purchase. We mention a few below:

**TAN RUSSIA CALF LACE BOOTS**, on smart swing last known as "Happy Hit"..... **\$6.00**  
**OX-BLOOD CALF LACE BOOTS**, ooze calf tops, "Happy Hit"..... **\$6.00**

**BROWN PATENT LEATHER OXFORD SHOES**, "Hump" last. Ultra stylish..... **\$6.00**

**OXFORD SHOES**, a variety of tan, Russia calf Oxford shoes in all the latest shapes and patterns..... **\$5.50**

**BLACK PATENT LEATHER BOOTS AND OXFORDS**, all shapes from the extremely narrow to the broad orthopedic toe, at \$6.00 and..... **\$5.50**

We give ten free shine coupons with a \$5.00 shoe

### Women's Shoes at \$3.00



**WOMEN'S RUSSIA CALF OXFORDS** in tan, chocolate or ox-blood. Light hand turn soles. **WOMEN'S TAN CALF COLONIAL PUMP**, with buckle. Cuban heels. Turn sole.

**WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER OXFORDS**, whole cut fox, Cuban heels. Plain toes with tips.

**WOMEN'S SOFT BLACK KID OXFORDS**, dull kid tops, turn soles, Cuban heels.

**WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER ONE BUT-TON COLONIAL PUMPS**, Cuban heels. Very dressy.

**WOMEN'S TAN RUSSIA CALF PUMPS**, leather bows, ankle strap, Cuban heels.

**WOMEN'S TAN KID BLUCHER CUT BOOTS**, light sole, Cuban heel.

**WOMEN'S GREY SUEDE OXFORDS**, light soles.

### Special Clearance Prices on Wall Paper Today

15 to 35c Values for 10c

Today offers all those wishing to get the very latest and most artistic designs in wall papers at an exceptional saving. This lot embraces only the best and most favored designs and can be used for any room in the house. Regular values, 15c to 35c, for per roll..... **10c**

### New Veilings Just In

**BLACK, WITH CHENILLE DOTS**, per yard, 25c, 35c and..... **50c**  
**HEAVY RUSSIAN NET**, per yard, 35c, 50c, 75c and..... **\$1.00**  
**WHITE, WITH CHENILLE SPOTS**, per yard, 25c, 35c and..... **50c**  
**WHITE WITH BLACK SPOTS**, per yard, 35c, 50c, 75c and..... **\$1.00**  
**TUCKED NETS, IN WHITE AND ECRU**, 18 inches wide, 35c, 50c, 75c and..... **\$1.00**  
**SELF-COLORED NETS**, for waists and trimmings, pink, navy, grey, sky, moss brown, tope, mauve, old rose, ivory and black, 40 inches wide, per yard..... **\$1.00**  
**LADIES' NEW FANCY EMBROIDERED STIFF LINEN COLLARS**, 1½ and 2 inches deep, in all sizes, 12½ to 15, 25c and..... **35c**  
**LADIES' DUTCH COLLARS**, of fine quality, lawn trimmed, Cluny lace and medallions with Val. lace edge. 75c, \$1.00 and..... **\$1.25**  
**LADIES' FANCY STOCK COLLARS**, of net and lawn, with embroidered French knots, blue, pink and mauve, with pleated ruche..... **25c**  
**LADIES' FANCY STOCK COLLARS**, trimmed with band of colored fancy insertion and tourist ruche..... **50c**

### Wednesday's Attractions in the Furniture Department

**CAMP COTS** WORTH \$4.50..... **\$3.50** **CAMP COTS** WORTH \$2.75..... **\$2.25**

This is a special bargain indeed. They are made of good, strong, serviceable wire with upholstered tops and are easily worth \$4.50. But for Wednesday they are marked at..... **\$3.50** If you need a camp cot, do not overlook these. They are made of wire, and have pillow supports and sell in the usual way for \$2.75. For Wednesday they are marked at..... **\$2.25**  
**SEPARATE MATTRESSES** for the above, 8 feet long, for each..... **\$1.25**

#### Our Stock of Bedroom Furniture

No matter what you wish in Bedroom Furniture, you may rest assured that here you will find it and at a price that is right. All furniture kept in stock is imported by us direct from the leading manufacturers, who stake their reputation on the goods they turn out. Not only will you find a complete and comprehensive stock to select from, but you will also find many new and novel pieces that will interest you.

**MAHOGANY CHIFFONIER**, with oval

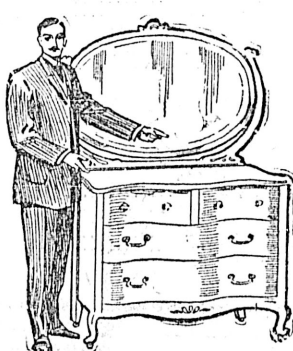
British bevelled mirror, size 22 x 16 in.

Size of top is 32 x 19 in.

The body has large cupboard, together with two

short and three long drawers.

Price..... **\$25**



**SOLID QUARTERED OAK CHIFFONIER**, in the golden finish.

Size of British mirror is 16 x 22 in.

Base contains three long drawers and two short drawers

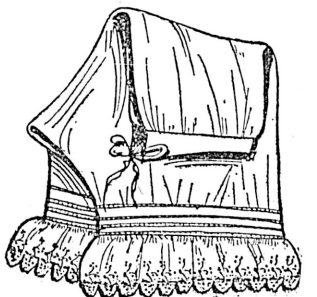
at the left of full-sized cupboard. Price..... **\$25**

### Our Whitewear Section Is a Busy One

This is attributed to the fact that the values offered are not of the ordinary kind. This sale eclipses all former efforts in value giving. It will be wise economy for all those wishing bright, new and reliable whitewear to do their buying at this sale.

#### Ladies' Drawers, 35c

A specially fine line of Ladies' Drawers are to be seen on the sales tables. These are made of extra fine material in a large number of fascinating styles, and are exceptional bargains at..... **35c**



### Ladies' Fine Underskirts

Special Value at **\$1.15**

No better bargain could be wished for than these. They are made of the very finest muslin with ten rows of tucks, have deep flounce and are trimmed with insertion and lace. Sale price..... **\$1.15**

### Ladies' Night Dresses, 55c

The assortment of Ladies' Night Dresses shown at this price will appeal to any discriminating lady. They are made of fine nainsook, have yoke of twenty-two tucks, collar and cuffs trimmed with lawn frill, also a number with V front yoke, sleeves and collar trimmed lace and neat tuck-ing. Price..... **55c**

Others at 90c, \$1.00, \$1.15 and..... **\$1.25**

### Ladies' Chemises at 35c

No better time to buy than now. Hundreds of exceedingly pretty styles are shown, including handmade chemises at higher prices, but we particularize on the ones shown at..... **35c**

Also a large assortment at 50c, 75c up to..... **\$3.90**

### Exceptional Sale of Wallpaper

Reg. Values 15c to 35c for 10c

This is another excellent opportunity to procure high-grade wall papers at a considerable reduction. The lot includes only the very latest and artistic effects, stripes, floral and conventional designs. Marked for quick selling Wednesday at, per roll..... **10c**

Special Demonstration of Mem Sabs Tea---Ground Floor

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